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From Our Evening Edition of Yesterday

See Interesting Reading on Fourth Page.

Summary of State News.

ROME.

A new temperance paper, the organ of the Good Templars of Georgia, will be issued soon under the directorship of Capt. A. B. S. Moseley and Mrs. M. P. Moseley.—*Rome Commercial.*

A tenement house of Captain Scott, in the lower part of the city was consumed by fire on Wednesday.—*Rome Courier.*

CALHOUN.

The late freshet did serious damage to the wheat.——More houses are needed in Calhoun.—*Calhoun Times.*

MARIETTA.

On Christmas Eve night Master Tommy Paise accidentally shot himself with a pistol, the ball entering his side, making a painful and probably dangerous wound.——During the icy weather the telegraph wires along the line near this place were broken down so heavily were they freighted with icicles. ——The fair at Acworth on Thursday night, for the benefit of a new church, was largely attended, and a brilliant success. Over one thousand dollars were netted.——At the recent county election in Cobb, the entire Democratic ticket was elected.—*Marietta Journal.*

WEST POINT.

Major William Reid is dangerously ill from affection of the throat.——We had a call on yesterday from Willie Tinsley, of Alabama. He is three years old, and there is not a question in any of the Sunday School catechisms that he cannot answer readily. He can repeat the Lord's prayer verbatim, besides many others taught him by his mother. ——Mr. Monroe Davidson, of Merriwether county, made 47 bales of cotton, besides corn and peas enough to feed his hands and stock this year, running only five plows.——A young man by the name of Davidson, living a few miles from West Point, was caught in the gearing at a gin house and was horribly mangled. He lived about six hours after the accident.——Two little boys, sons of Prof. Seals and Col. Mooty, playing with a bottle containing powder, and by some means an explosion occurred. Their faces were badly cut by pieces of the bottle, besides being burnt by the powder.—*West Point News.*

MILLEDGEVILLE.

T. W. White is an independent candidate for Ordinary of Baldwin.—*Union and Recorder.*

SAVANNAH.

Mr. Charles Swatz has been elected first foreman of the Germania Steam Fire Company of Savannah.——The Savannah Bar want a new Circuit formed to embrace the counties of Chatham, Effingham, and Bryan. ——George Bird was accidentally drowned on Monday near McLeod's new saw mill on the river.——During the year just closed, one hundred and eighty-eight marriage licenses were issued in Chatham county to white couples, while, for the same period, four hundred and sixty-two licenses were issued to colored persons.—*Savannah Republican.*

Hymeneal.

On the 26th ultimo, J. S. Smith and Miss M. A. Smith, all of Bartow county.

On the 19th of December, Mr. G. B. Shepherd to Miss Susan Hall, all of Milledgeville.

Mr. Andrew W. Caloway and Miss Julia Billingslea, of Harris county, were married in the 24th ultimo.

In Cartersville, on the 26th ultimo, Mr. M. B. McGinty to Miss C. E. Maddox, all of the city.

De Mortuis.

B. Richard, Esq., of West Point, died on the 21st of December.

Mr. Joel T. Scott, an old newspaper man, died on the cars, between Opelika and Columbus, last monday.

Died, at the hotel in Rome, on the 31st of December, Mr. M. Fish, a citizen of Detroit, Michigan.

South Carolina News.

Rev. J. K. Mendenhall has accepted the pastorate of the Baptist church in Columbia.

The estimated expenses for the current year are $2,054,347 10.

A National Bank has been organized in Anderson with a capital of fifty thousand dollars.

The police of Columbia rescued several drunkards from death on Christmas day, when in almost a dying condition.

Tennessee News.

Memphis has a Relief Society for the poor.

It cost $104,000 to maintain the Memphis police last year.

The Knoxville Bible Society has distributed 84,343 Bibles.

A drove of 700 turkeys from Virginia were driven recently seventy miles to Knoxville and shipped South.

Editorial Items.

A Janesville, Wisconsin man made preparations to kill himself but was persuaded out of his notion by the promise of a position as book-keeper in a beer saloon.

A New Albany man with fifteen daughters and twelve sons is figuring as to whether it will be cheapest to mix an arsenic stew, or use kerosene for kindling wood in his house.

Trains on some of the Missouri railroads run so slow that a woman with her back elevated to the proper altitude can overtake one on foot, if it contains her husband and another woman.

Items About Women.

A Detroit man preserves his own hair by humbly dressing his wife every morning.

Martha Raffle, of Jacksonville, Florida, has fourteen children by her third husband.

Victor Hugo is of opinion that it was the beauty of the eye of Eugenie de Montijo which kept the Bonapartes so long in the Tuileries.

The married ladies of Hannibal, Missouri, have formed "Come Home Husband Club." It is about four feet long and has a brush at the end of it.

North-Western Items.

Twenty paper mills are projected in different parts of Indiana.

Van Buren county, Michigan, ships chestnut trees to Salt Lake.

The St. Paul, Minnesota street cars are now on runners.

Canton, Missouri, has slaughtered 10,000 hogs this season.

The Legislature of Kansas will be memorialized this winter for funds to build a State house of correction.

Facts and Fancies.

King Oscar, of Sweden, is the tallest monarch in the world.

There are 500 female postmasters handling mails in this country.

Three hundred bloodthirsty females want to be doctors in San Francisco.

Boston has smoking cars upon its street railways.

There are said to be very few white oak trees remaining in New England.

The Louisville Daily Henry Watterson says that a year ago the Atlanta Daily Aleck Stephens pronounced liberalism the sum of all Radical isanies; that more than a year ago the Mobile Daily John Forsyth declared against the amendments; while the Memphis Daily Mr. Galloway, who makes a habit of dissecting the Atlanta Stephens and Mobile Forsyth, repudiated the Amendments! The Chattanooga Weekly Sam Bard, the New York Daily Brick Pomeroy, and the Lexington (Miss.) Daily Pat Denan, are severely ignored.—*Nashville Banner.*

BY TELEGRAPH.

TO THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION.

The Weather in New York.

A JAIL DELIVERY.

Trouble Apprehended in New Orleans.

An Old Woman Murdered.

Foreign News.

NEW YORK.

BILLIARD MATCH.

NEW YORK, January 3—The billiard match between Daly and Cyrille Dion has been declared off by alleged miscount. The police quieted the dispute.

HEAVY FOG.

The heaviest fog of the season. There are few ferries running. Fully 40,000 working people detained by the fog. The streets are in a horrible condition—raining and slush ankle deep.

SAFE RECOVERED.

The safe of the Fifth Avenue Theatre has been recovered—the contents were uninjured.

DIAMOND LOST.

P. T. Barnum lost a thousand dollar diamond in a stage.

NORTH CAROLINA BONDS.

The committee on securities of stock exchange have recommended that the old North Carolina bonds be divided in two classes in dealings of exchange, and that these, with the coupons on, due January 1st, 1860, be placed upon call and designated as North Carolina old bonds to aid the North Carolina Railroad Company coupons on, and that the second class be those with the first maturing 7 per cent. coupons off, due July, 1873, or October, 1872, and be designated on call as North Carolina old bonds to aid the North Carolina Railroad Company off.

ESCAPED PRISONERS.

AUBURN, January 2.—About 3 o'clock this afternoon seven convicts escaped from the State prison here by digging through the wall where a shaft ran through for the purpose of turning machinery in the prison. It is believed that the convicts had assistance from the outside, as they are all supposed to have been provided with citizens clothes. The escape was projected and conducted by Dan Noble, a notorious land bond robber. Their terms of sentence varied from 5 to 20 years.

ILLINOIS.

FIRE.

AINSWORTH, January 3.—The Fertilizing Company's workshave burned. Loss, $170,000.

A LAKE BREEZE.

CHICAGO, January 4.—A gale is blowing here at the rate of seventy miles an hour.

LOUISIANA.

THE MUDDLE.

NEW ORLEANS, January 3.—Trouble is apprehended on Monday. McEnery will have from three to four thousand troops at his disposal.

COLORADO.

HORSE MALADY.

DENVER, January 3.—The horse disease is raging in Denver and other sections of the Territory. The most of the animals of the Colorado Central City Stage Company are sick, and no coaches are running between Central City and Georgetown.

MARYLAND.

MURDER.

BALTIMORE, January 3.—Mrs. Mary Ann Lampley, aged 72, was murdered during the absence of her daughter at the opera. Twelve hundred dollars and some jewelry are missing.

OHIO.

CINCINNATI, January 3.—The ice this morning is quite rotten. Boatmen are hopeful.

ITALY.

THE POPE ADDRESSES THE PALATINE GUARD.

ROME, January 3.—The pope, on receiving the Palatine Guard yesterday, made a brief address, alluding to the persecution of the Church, and declaring the cries of Europe were dancing on perilous ground.

SPAIN.

THE CARLISTS.

MADRID, January 3.—The municipalities of Navarre are raising volunteers to fight roaming bands of Carlists.

AMADEUS' RECEPTION.

Members of the Sagasta Ministry were absent from Amadeus' reception.

ST. LOUIS.

Trade Review—The Crops of the Northwest.

ST. LOUIS, January 1.—The morning papers give very elaborate reviews of the commerce of St. Louis. The Democrat further gives a statement from J. R. Dodge, the statistician of the agricultural bureau at Washington, of the products of the Mississippi valley for 1872, not before published, from which it appears that the corn crop of Indiana, Michigan, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa; very nearly as large in Illinois; reduced in Michigan, and greatly declined in Missouri and Kansas. There has been a large increase of potatoes in Illinois, a small advance in Iowa, Minnesota, Michigan and Indiana, and a decrease in Wisconsin, Kansas and Missouri.

THE TONAGE OF THE UNITED STATES.

The Republican's statement also has a special feature in the shape of a statistical table of the entire tonnage steam of the United States, which has never been published before, showing the number of steam vessels and their tonnage within the several custom, districts and ports of the country. The aggregate of these is:

Atlantic and Gulf coast—number of vessels 1,672; tonnage 604,578.

Northern lakes—vessels 582; tonnage 149,463.

Pacific coast—vessels 196; tonnage 60,856.

Western rivers—vessels 1,017; tonnage 272,794.

Total—number of vessels 3,567; tonnage 1,087,637.

With the exception of reduction in the receipts of grain, the business of St. Louis has largely increased and the general trade of the city is shown to be in a remarkably flourishing condition.

The Electoral College.

The law of 1792 requires three separate certificates of the persons voted for as President and Vice-President by each electoral college to be prepared, one of them to be sent by mail to the President of the Senate, another to be delivered there by special messenger, and the third to be deposited with the Judge of the district in which the electors assemble. Certificates of all the electoral votes, with the exception of Kentucky, have been received in Washington by mail. Special messengers have arrived from all the States with the exception of North Carolina, Ohio, Florida, California, Oregon and Nevada bringing their respective certificates. The messengers from Vermont, Indiana, Arkansas, Minnesota, West Virginia, Nebraska and Louisiana have, in the absence of the President of the Senate, deposited their certificates with the Secretary of State to await the return of the President of the Senate. The law requires the certificates to be delivered in Washington by the first Wednesday in January, and in case any of them are not received the Secretary of State shall send for them to the courts where the certificates are deposited. Any special messenger neglecting to perform his duty shall forfeit $1,000. A special messenger from Louisiana brought the certificate of the electoral vote of that State for Grant and Wilson.

Accidents on European Railways.

Accidents, you know, never happen on the well-regulated railways of Europe. Only Minister Itzenplitz, the one who has raised the emigrant rates, has just fulminated an edict to the Prussian railways because of the numerous accidents of late. And only last night the train from Lehrte to Berlin plunged through an open drawbridge into the Havel at Spandau. Fortunately it was a freight train, and not overcrowded with passengers. As it was, the entire train was in the water at 10 o'clock last night, and the new road temporarily blocked. In consequence, there are no Rhine, or French, or English newspapers to-day. As Spandau is only a short distance from Berlin, we may learn by the middle of the week whether any lives were lost. That is, unless the affair be suppressed as carefully as was the accident four weeks ago at Warburg, in Upper Hessia. Imagine a passenger train on the Central road going over a steep embankment at Auburn on Sunday but the news not published in Albany before Tuesday! Yet such was pretty nearly the news-management of the Warburg accident. Being in Hessia myself at the time I can remember very clearly how much time and pains it cost me to piece together the scraps of news that the government telegrams doled out from time to time before I could get a clear idea of the extent of the disaster. As nearly as I could make out, that was caused by a defective rail. The present is doubtless the result of carelessness. At all events, the traveler in America may console himself with the reflection that there are accidents elsewhere, even in Prussia.—*Berlin Letter in N. Y. World.*

Election of President.

There is a great deal of talk just now in favor of a change in the mode of electing the President, and the proposition is received with considerable favor. During the administration of John Quincy Adams, in 1826, the subject of a change in the existing mode of choosing the President and Vice President through Electorial Colleges, was referred to a special committee of nine in the United States Senate, including Benton, Van Buren, Hayne, Macon, Dickerson, Holmes, and Richard M. Johnson. This committee, in its report, recommended a plan, which was substantially as follows:

1. To abolish the Presidential Electors.
2. A division of each State by its Legislature into a number of districts equal to that of its Senators and Representatives.
3. That the citizens of each district should vote directly for the candidate of their choice.
4. That the person receiving the highest vote in any district (whether a majority or not) be entitled to the vote of that district.
5. That if any candidate should in this manner receive the support of the districts, Congress should declare him elected President.
6. If no candidate had a majority of the districts, Congress should immediately order a new election, in the same manner, by districts, confining the choice to the two highest candidates.

This plan was subsequently strongly approved by President Jackson.

The South Carolina Disgrace.

The negro Congressman Elliott, from South Carolina, entertains a just appreciation of the disgrace brought upon his race, by the election of Jno. S. Patterson as United States Senator from that State, under the peculiar circumstances by which that event was accomplished. An "interviewer" thus reports Elliot:

"Now understand me: I am not saying this out of personal feeling. I was a candidate before the Legislature and was defeated. I can bear defeat, but the humiliation the thing has brought upon our colored race—that's what hurts me. Our race is now on trial before the world as to its fitness to govern. What will be said after such a wholesale buying as this? The colored men, as you know, are in large majority in the Legislature, and then for them to deliberately sell out by wholesale is a blow that we can't get over for years. It is a blow at our integrity, our honesty, our manhood. The report has gone to the world that the colored legislators, making laws for South Carolina, have been bribed by wholesale, and the report is unfortunate. What will the world think of it?"

TOO CHEAP.—There are complaints in Pennsylvania that members of the Legislature are too cheap. State pride is being aroused on the subject. Why is it that Legislators are so much higher priced at Albany than at Harrisburg? The Scranton, Penn., Times offers the following suggestion:

"There is one thing which we wish to see attended to at Harrisburg this winter, and that is to have the price of Legislators raised to some sort of a decent figure. As it now is we have to blush every time we talk with a New York man on the subject of legislation. While Legislators at Albany are worth from $1,000 to $10,000 per head, the same article can be bought here at $5 to $50 each. When we consider the great wealth and moneyed interests of our State, this is a most humiliating comparison. We call upon all our Senators and Members of the Assembly who have any State pride, not to sell themselves one cent short of the ruling rates at Albany. The dignity of our State must be maintained, and in order to do it we must show the country that we have as valuable legislators as can be furnished by any other State in the Union.

Secretary Delano, en route to Havana, accompanied by ex-Governor Brown, of Georgia, stopped at New Orleans, and it is learned from there that a series of festivities, railroad excursions, etc., were gotten up in his honor, in which the chief persons figuring were Senator Kellogg, Collector of Customs Casey and Colonel Sam H. Kennedy. Under ordinary circumstances there might be nothing to note in this, but in view of the state of affairs in that great city it certainly seems suggestive. Secretary Delano left New Orleans for Havana on Christmas eve, and was escorted to the boat by Mr. Kellogg.—*Exchange.*

THE HEALTH OF SENATOR SUMNER.—Senator Sumner's physician states that the condition of the former is very bad indeed. He has frequent occurrences of acute pain in the region of the heart, while of the spinal difficulty which has afflicted him for the last fifteen years. These attacks are very violent and prostrating, but are of short duration. The Senator suffers from the loss of sleep, and on retiring each night has an opiate introduced under the skin of the arm from the influence of which slumber alone is induced.

Financial and Commercial.

Telegraphic Markets.

NEW YORK, January 3.—Cotton firm; middling uplands 20½; Orleans 21¼; sales 43 bales.

Flour strong. Wheat quiet and firm. Corn steady. Pork steady—mess $13 50. Lard quiet and steady; steam 7¾a7⅞. Turpentine quiet at 60. Rosin dull at $3 65 for strained. Freights quiet.

Stocks dull. Gold heavy at 11½. Money easier at 1-12a1-16 per cent. interest per day. Exchange—long 9½, short 10⅛. Governments dull but heavy. State bonds dull but steady.

LONDON, January 3—noon—Consols 91⅞a91¼. New 5's 90.

FRANKFORT, January 3.—Bonds 95¼.

LIVERPOOL, January 3.—noon.—Cotton opened firm; uplands 10½a10¼; Orleans 10¾.

LATER—Cotton active and firmer; uplands 10¼; Orleans 10¾; sales 18,000 bales; speculation and export 4,000.

Breadstuffs firm.

PARIS, January 3.—Specie in the Bank of France has increased one-half million francs.

Atlanta Wholesale Price Current.

[CORRECTED DAILY.]

CONSTITUTION OFFICE, ATLANTA, January 3, 2 o'clock, P. M.

Cotton stiff with an upward tendency at 18a18¼.

EXCHANGE—Buying at ¼ off and selling at par.

FINANCIAL.—Gold buying at $1 10; selling $1 12. Silver buying $1 04; selling $1 07.

BONDS AND STOCKS.—Georgia 6s 75a77; 7s 84a86; new Georgia bonds at the State Treasury $1. Atlanta city bonds, 7s, 74a76; 8s 84a86. Augusta 80a85. Georgia Railroad stock 95a98; Georgia Railroad bonds 96a98. Atlanta and West Point Railroad stock 88a90; Atlanta and West Point Railroad bonds 94a96. Macon and Western Railroad stock 91a93.

FACTORY GOODS.—Brown Domestics—Graniteville, 7-8, 11; Trion, 7-8, 11; Augusta 7-8, 11½; Graniteville, 4-4, 13; Trion, 4-4, 13; Augusta, 4-4, 13; Graniteville, 3-4 9½; Augusta, 3-4, 16½; light osnaburgs 14½; heavy osnaburgs 16½c; Yarns $1 65. Roswell shirtings, 7-8, 11½; 4-4, 13. Checks 14½a16.

BEEF CATTLE.—Buying prices, gross 3a4½; net 6a8.

MUTTON.—Buying prices, gross 3½a4½; net 10c.

HOGS.—Buying prices, gross $4 90a5 15 on foot; net $7.

FRESH MEATS.—Dressed beef by the side, per pound, 6a9; retail 10a15. Mutton, whole, dressed 10a12½, retail 10a15. Hogs, dressed, 7; 10a12½ retail. Veal, dressed, 10; retail 12½a15. Corned beef in kegs 12½; retail 12½.

SAUSAGES.—Linked, fresh, wholesale 15; retail 17a20; linked, smoked 15; retail 20. Sausages in 50 lb cans, green, 15. Bologna, smoked, in bags, 15; retail 20a25. Hogshead cheese, wholesale 15; retail 20. Blood pudding 15; retail 20. Liver pudding, wholesale 15; retail 20.

BUTCHER'S MEATS—Retail prices, corned beef in kegs 12½c; spiced 15c; hogs 8c; mutton 10a12½c; veal 10c; Sausages 15a17c; soup bone 10a25c.

BAGGING AND TIES.—Gunny 15; magnolia and other Western brands 15½a16; double anchor and Ludlow 16. Ties 8½a9.

BACON.—Shoulders 6½.

BULK MEATS—Shoulders 5½; C. R. sides new meat 7½; clear sides 7¾c.

LARD.—We quote buckets, 12; cans and kegs 10½; tierces, 9½.

FLOUR.—Fancy $10 50; extra family $9 50; family $8 25; superfine $7 50

GRAIN.—We quote white corn 80; mixed, 75a78; in ear, 75. Wheat best quality $2; red wheat $1 80a1 90. Oats 53a60. Rye 1 15a$1 20. Barley $1 10a1 15.

GROCERIES.—We quote: Sugars—Crushed Granulated and Powdered 14¼. Coffee A 13½; for Extra C 13; Yellow C 12¼. Brown 11½a13. Tallow 7. Liverpool salt $2 30; Virginia salt $2. The various brands of soap from Excelsior Steam Soap Works of Atlanta, from 6a7½c per box. Georgia Soap Factory—5a7c per pound. Candles—full weights 21a21½. Ginger 18a20. Pepper 25a28. Corn meal 85. Starch 6a10. Rice 8½ for tierces. Java Coffee 27a30. Rio 20a24. New Orleans syrup 70a72; Molasses—hhds. 25; bbls. 29. Cheese, factory, 17a18.

FISH.—Mackerel, No. 3, bbls., $10 50; No. 3, half bbls., $7 00; No. 3, half bbls., $5 50; No. 1, kits, $1 65; No. 2, kits, $1 50; No. 3, kits, $1 25

HAY.—Western timothy $37a38; Tennessee $20a35.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.—Buying prices from wagons. Eggs 20c; chickens 15a20; country butter 22a30; Tennessee butter 25a30.

STEEL.—Solid cast steel railroad 18c; cast steel 22c.

NAILS.—Per keg, 10d to 60d, $6 25; 3d, $6 50; 6d, $6 75; 4d, $7; 3d, $8 25; fine, $9 75 finishing, different kinds of corresponding numbers, 75c on above prices.

IRON.—Tire 1 1-2 inches to 4 by 1 1-2, $6; smaller sizes 50 cts advance. Rod, 12c.

FRUIT.—Apples, Southern $3 00a3 50 per barrel; Northern $4 00a5 25 per barrel. Bananas retail at 5c, or six for 25c. Cocoanuts 10a15c. Oranges 5a10c. Lemons 5c.

MISCELLANEOUS.—Retail from Stores: Sweet Potatoes $1 60 per bushel, 50c per peck. Table Peas $1 50. Turnips 25c per peck. Onions 50c per peck. Irish potatoes 30a45 per peck; $1 50 per bushel. Cabbage 10a25 apiece. Dressed chickens, retail, 15c per pound; turkeys 15a18c per pound. Chestnuts—buying prices $2 00 per bushel, from wagons.

United States Marshal's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a Writ of Mortgage *fieri facias*, issued out of the Honorable, the Circuit Court of the United States, for the Northern District of Georgia, in favor of the plaintiff, George G. Wolf, in the following case, to-wit:

George G. Wolf vs. J. S. Pemberton, Walter H. Weems and O. A. Lochrane.

I have levied upon, as the property of defendants, described in said mortgage, lots Nos. eight and nine (8 and 9) of the subdivision of the property recently surrendered by the State of Georgia and the city of Atlanta to the heirs of Samuel Mitchell, deceased, fronting forty-three (43) feet on the east side of Pryor street, [in said city of Atlanta] and immediately south of Decatur street and running back east same width one hundred and three (103) feet to an alley, (three feet of the same on Pryor street not to be built on, but to be reserved to give lights to the basement,) and will sell the same at public auction, at the Court House, in the City of Atlanta, county of Fulton and State of Georgia, on the

First Tuesday in March next,

between the lawful hours of sale.

Dated at Atlanta, Georgia, January 3, 1873.

WILLIAM H. SMYTH, United States Marshal.

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THE COUCHE HOUSE,

KINGSTON, GEORGIA,

T. R. COUCHE..........PROPRIETOR.

THE Proprietor of this establishment would respectfully inform the traveling public that his large and spacious Hotel is now finished and ready for the reception of visitors. His rooms are all large and comfortable, and are now being furnished with new furniture throughout, and his guests may rest assured that nothing will be left undone to make them comfortable. He pledges himself that his table will be supplied with the very best the market affords. The excellent climate and delightful water of this section of Georgia, is rapidly bringing Kingston to the attention of our low country friends.

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Pratt House

(Formerly Brown House.)

Cuthbert..........Georgia.

T. J. PRATT, Proprietor.

HACKS in attendance upon all trains, and no pains spared to make guests comfortable.

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CHANGE OF NAME.

THE ROME HOTEL, J. A. Stansbury, Proprietor, located near the Railroad Depots and Steamboat Landing and convenient to the business portion of town, on the corner of Broad and South Street, formerly known as the Tennessee House, was closed last October for the purpose of being refitted. The work has been completed and the House is now ready for the reception of guests, to afford every comfort that is to be found in the Best Houses of the country.

J. A. STANSBURY.

BARTOW HOUSE,

T. J. BRIDGES, Proprietor,

Cartersville..........Georgia.

THIS House has been remodeled and refurnished throughout, and is kept in the best style.

TIBBS HOUSE,

Dalton, Ga.

B. STONE. J. B. WIMBERLY.

CONYERS HOTEL,

By D. P. SMITH,

(Successor to E. Thom.)

THIS HOUSE is within one hundred yards of the Railroad, has been thoroughly renovated and supplied with new furniture. Give him a call, and be guaranteed to give entire satisfaction.

THE EDMUNDSON HOUSE,

Washington, Ga.,

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Price of Board, per day, $2 50.

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FURNITURE EMPORIUM,

Nos. 7 and 9 James' Bank Block,

ATLANTA, - - - - GEORGIA.

HAVING fitted up our rooms, we will be pleased to show the public our new and elegant stock of FURNITURE, just received, and bought exclusively from manufacturers in Northern, Eastern, Southern and Western markets.

The ladies are respectfully invited to call and examine the grand display of

French Flowers.

WHICH ARE OF OUR OWN DIRECT IMPORTATION. dec22—dtf

CIGARS! CIGARS!! CIGARS!!!

MY FRIENDS, PATRONS AND THE PUBLIC IN GENERAL are hereby informed that I have removed my Cigar Manufactory from Garnett street to NO. 4 BROAD STREET, next door to No. 1 Engine House, where I hope to see all my old customers and many new ones. I still manufacture the

Clear Havana Partagas, Moscovita and Henry Clay,

which I claim to be the finest Cigars ever manufactured this side the ocean, and equal to the best imported brands. Manufactured here they are 25 per cent. cheaper, as the tax on imported cigars amounts to that much. I import direct the best grades of Havana Tobacco. Manufactory No. 4 Broad street, wholesale and retail, and retail stand 54 Whitehall street.

[dec31-d3m] P. H. ENGELBERT.

BUSINESS NOTICE.

I TAKE pleasure in making the announcement that Mr. W. H. C. Mickelberry, so long and favorably known to the trade of Griffin, Ga., is now connected with my House.

Respectfully, A. K. SEAGO, Atlanta.

By reference to the above card, it will be seen that I am now connected with the Wholesale Grocery and Produce House of A. K. SEAGO, in the city of Atlanta, where I shall be most happy to see my old friends and I assure them that I am now better prepared to protect and promote their interests than ever before.

W. H. C. MICKELBERRY, late of Griffin, Georgia.

Stock in Store and to Arrive Soon.

10,000 Pounds Bulk Meats, well cured, including Clear, Clear Rib Sides and Shoulders, Packed in Casks and Half Casks, or loose.
25,000 Pounds old Bacon, Clear and Clear Rib Sides and Shoulders, packed to suit buyers.
15,000 Pounds Best Quality Leaf Lard, in Barrels and Cans.

GRAIN! GRAIN!

7,000 Bushels old White Bread Corn, and Yellow and Mixed Old Sound, Superior Feed Corn.
3,000 Bushels Feed Oats, and Black Seed Oats, White Seed Oats, and

California Surprise Seed Oats,

Seed Rye, Red Seed Wheat and White Seed Wheat, Clover Seeds, Grass Seeds in variety, of the purest and best. 1,000 barrels and bags Flour—grades and prices equal to any *Flour in the State.* 350 bales Best Timothy Hay.

ALSO—A full stock of Coffee, Refined Sugars, and Refined and Raw New Crop New Orleans Molasses, New Orleans Raw and Refined Sugar, Molasses, Cheese, Fish, Tobacco, Rice, Bagging, Rope, Starch, Candies, Oysters, Soap, etc., etc.

Orders promptly and faithfully filled. Terms Cash, unless by mutual agreement.

Planters will be supplied with Fertilizers, Provisions, etc., for 1873, to enable them to cultivate their farms successfully. Address

A. K. SEAGO, Atlanta.

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Jerry Lynch, the People's Clothier,

No. 18 Whitehall Street.

NEW ARRIVAL

OF THE MOST

STYLISH WINTER GOODS,

The Largest Assortment to be Found in the City.

My stock this season will be found unusually large, consisting of everything pertaining to a gentleman's wardrobe.

All garments cut and made in the latest and most Fashionable Style. dec21-dtf

THE ATLANTIC COAST LINE PASSENGER ROUTE.

RE-ORGANIZED FOR THE SUMMER OF 1872.

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ATLANTA:

FRIDAY, JANUARY 4, 1873.

☞ The banks paid last year forty millions of taxes and license.

☞ The Charleston Courier, some seventy years old, is offered for sale. Three of the owners have died, and a settlement is necessary.

☞ There are ten lines of steamships running between Europe and the United States, including 125 ships, and all owned by foreign capital.

☞ A scamp that will rob a church must be a bad one indeed. The latest achievement in this line is the stealing of $30,000 of rare silver from Trinity Church in New York.

☞ In New York, during 1872, there were 8,445 marriages, and 11,898 births of living children. The deaths exceed the births by nearly 11,000. The death roll is 32,000, being 6,000 in excess of last year.

☞ The United States increased in population from 1860 to 1870 seven millions of people. It increased in wealth from sixteen to thirty billions. England with thirty-one millions of people has forty billions of wealth. France, with thirty-eight millions of people, has forty billions of wealth.

☞ Grert Britain has 359,969 unmarried maidens over 40 years old. It has 1,407,225 lassies between 20 and 40 years of age. To offset this extraordinary amount of female celibacy there are 1,413,812 bachelors.

The women are everywhere out numbering the men. New York city has forty thousand more petticoats than men.

The disproportion raises some alarming possibilities, which we turn over to our woman's rights neighbor of Farmer Fogy over the way.

☞ The Northern papers are much in conflict over Boutwell's purposes. The New York World's and Sun's Washington correspondents say positively that he is to quit being Secretary of the Treasury. Other correspondents deny it. Boutwell undoubtedly wants to be United States Senator in Wilson's place. Some think he has the best chance to succeed by dropping the Secretaryship. Others reason that a Massachusetts office hunter like old Boutwell will never relinquish a certainty for a mere chance. He can hold on to the bird in the hand and still strive for the one in the bush.

Sumner.

Sumner's move to expunge the battle names from the national flags seems to be an old idea with him. In May, 1862, while the war was progressing, he offered a resolution in the United States Senate declaring it inexpedient to place the names of victories obtained over his Southern fellow-citizens on the regimental colors of the United States. So he has recently only tried to remove what he sought previously to prevent.

Sumner has been soundly abused for his motion. He was censured in 1862. In 1872, he has been severely animadverted upon, and rebuked by the official action of the Massachusetts Legislature.

Indiana Radicalism.

The Indiana Radicals are showing that keen appreciation of political power that forms one of the beautiful features of Radicalism. It consults its own interest with lovely impartiality. Such minor matters as justice and law it felicitously ignores whenever its interest is to be subserved.

The Radicals in Indiana have a bare majority in the General Assembly. But they have used it to purpose. They intend to indulge in no more bare majorities when a clever scheme of gerrymandering can fix things otherwise.

They have passed a law making a new apportionment of Representatives and Senators. By this unique scheme they secure 95 Radical members of the Legislature to 55 Democrats. They have scientifically fixed it so that it takes 658 more Democrats than Radicals to elect a Senator, and 1,176 more to elect a Representative.

This beautiful specimen of partizan sharpness has evoked a public protest from the Democratic part of the Assembly. The protest is very handsomely written, in fact waxes eloquent over the discreditable facts. But the Radical has his cleverly manufactured large majority of legislators, and proposes to hold on to it in spite of protests.

Sharp knaves, these Radicals. And all alike too. Whether in the tropical georgeousness of the Georgia scalawags fervid dishonesty, or the frigid simplicity of his Northern brothers bolder scampishness, he displays powers of magnificent rascality.

Cuba.

There is nothing so easy and, at the same time, so pleasing as self-delusion, unless it be lying. At least one would suppose that the Spaniards thought so from their numerous reports that the Cuban insurrection has been squelched. Every now and then they issue a grandiloquent proclamation that the Cuban war is conquered. But a more obstinate set of insurgents it would be difficult to find. Just when proclaimed thrashed, they have an inconvenient way of turning up in some new quarter on the liveliest sort of a skirmish. They capture a town, or bag a troop, or kill half-a-dozen high officers, or some other hostile achievement betokening unwhipped spirit and unabated activity.

For months there have been profound lulls of seeming quiet. The world in its active progress and Senatorial achievements loses sight of the handful of brave patriots silently stuggling for independence.

The latest news shows an active renewal of the fight by the Insurgents, not at all calculated to impress one with the certainty of their overthrow. The Cubans made two daring dashes, capturing the towns of Mayroi and Holquin, inflicting heavy losses on the Spaniards, and doing large damage.

What the issue of this remarkable insurrection is to be remains to be seen. The Cubans have shown a pluck and pertinacity worthy of success. Their patient unconquerable courage may bring its reward.

The Spaniards have only three times announced the rebellion at an end. And as this sort of conquest costs nothing but a little ink and paper and some resultant bulletins, not at all dangerous, they will probably keep up their paper victories. But the world does justice to the gallantry of the insurgents, and we hope that a kind Providence may yet confer on the gallant Cubans the rich boon of their country's freedom.

City Matters.

In our local columns, our readers will find a full report about city matters. The change of city administration, the reports of the outgoing regime, and the inauguration of the new board will be found in full. They present a very gratifying exhibit.

Mayor James shows that a careful administration has been made by the retiring Council. While carrying out contracts and finishing work of the previous Council they have spent less money than was spent the previous year. The Mayor makes some good, practical suggestions. Let us now stop cutting down streets and go to work to perfecting them as they are and furnishing good sidewalks.

The inaugural of Mayor Hammock is a neat and earnest one, and holds out good promise.

Altogether, we think the exhibit of Atlanta's domestic matters a good one, and we look forward with high expectation to her continuing her remarkable career of progress and growth.

☞ The vicissitudes of fortune find daily exemplifications. Striking descents from royal affluence and distinction to utter poverty or criminal degradation occur so often as to cease to create interest.

A curious case has lately occurred in Russia. Prince Lusignan is a descendant of the former Kings of Cypress Jerusalem and Armenia, one of the oldest royal families of the world now represented by living members. The Prince has been convicted of forgery, and condemed to exile in Ural country.

The Prince's father inherited a fortune of thirty millions of dollars, which by a strange stroke of Providence came into the hands of the Turkish government, and was confiscated. He entered the Russian service and took part in every campaign of the Russian army from 1828 to the present time.

A strange and remarkable fall this is. The lineal descendant of an ancient and powerful line of Kings becomes a penniless felon, and the blood that once graced a throne during centuries of hereditary royalty, has at last besmirched its princely purity in the ignoble taint of convicted crime.

B. R. Freeman for Secretary of State.

Editors Constitution: The convention of the General Assembly draws nigh. When members take their seats, the urgency of legislative measures will be immediate. A mental choice of candidates, therefore, for the several places of trust then to be filled ought to be made beforehand. If the basis of the selection shall be those qualities of head, heart and hand that would fit the elect for the most effectual discharge of his duties, the writer of this communication will not be wanting in an irresistible argument for the first preferment of his favorite to the office of Secretary of State, Benj. R. Freeman, of Fulton.

The qualities of the officer will best be suggested by a partial recital of the duties of the office. The preservation of the public laws; of all general records; of the bonds of agents for disbursement of public money; the record of plats and grants; the landed property of the State; the title to which has or has not been parted with; the keeping of maps of all State surveys; ability and readiness to exhibit, at a glance to every inquirer, a full knowledge of the number, district and section divisions of the State; the duties in detail of Surveyor General; the minetiae of provision of contingents for the General Assembly; the keeping of the Great Seal. Cast on these a man of admitted brains, but unfamiliar with their practical discharge and you cast him without compass on a waste of waters. This assertion is verrified by the fact, that each of several successive administrations has retained Mr. Freeman as the engine, the motive power of the department. When Democracy was in the ascendant, it called him to the place. When bayonets took the governments from her, the machinery of the State department ran true to the rule with Freeman at the wheel, and it goes back to its friends without a tap loose or a bolt astray. This stability and strength we still want in every arm of the State.

A courteous, obliging, affable gentleman, ever at his post; familiar with every phase and feature of his department; in the prime and vigor of his days; a Democrat and a man of sterling standard, Mr. Freeman would bring to the execution of his trust qualifications unsurpassed in dignity and unequalled in number by any of his competitors. He has moved long and served faithfully in a subordinate sphere, and his efficiency and power there have been acknowledged. It is due him, now, that we say, "friend, go up higher." DEMOCRAT.

PARIS REVELRIES.

Maddening Scenes at an Opera Ball.

The first grand opera ball is announced for December! Gay Paris is in ectacies. Arban is to direct one hundred musicians; fifty thousand people anxiously await the great event; the *cafes* surrounding the Academy are preparing for the approaching orgies; glove-makers, florists, costumers, are in jubilation, and even the cabbies and *garcons* are delighted with the prospects of numerous and princely remunerations, so *allons* clowns, and dominoes, sports and grisettes, students and columbines, chicards and cocottes, don your costumes, masks, and false noses, prepare your chalk and rouge, your pumps and wigs, your wittiest jokes and most winning smiles, for the first great grand, grotesque, glorious rendezvous under the mammoth chandelier of the spacious ball-room, where the golden glare of one thousand gas lights, shaded by the crimson velvet of the boxes pours down its floods of sheen upon your eager and expectant faces while awaiting Arban's magic signal to lead and goad you on in the voluptuous mazes of the quadrille. Then, inspired by the brazen harmonies of the orchestra, how you whirl and turn, rush and mingle with the throng; how the jolly revelers and music-drunk Bachantes delight to sing and shout with deafening voices, blending their delirious strains with the febrile crash of a hundred instruments. How the masked cavaliers and begemmed sirens flirt and talk, buzz and prattle on every side till the ball has fairly commenced, when the boxes are filled and the immense floor is jammed with an animated, palpitating mass of dancers. Then the celebrities arrive, visits from box to box are paid, the elite of Parisian society smiles upon the scum from the cushioned solitudes of the proscenium, waltzes and redowas succeed quadrilles and polkas, mazurkas follow reels, gavots and improvised sarabands; the atmosphere becomes more stirring, sherbets and ices are in demand, champagne corks begin to fly, supper attracts many; the gaiety, mirth and good humor continue; with iron vim and energy the masqueraders dance and dance, figure after figure, till stimulated to frenzy, by music, wine and the heat, the leader gives them a repose, while, to prepare them for the coming frolics, the Quadrille d'Orphee is announced in huge black letters, and tumultuous cheers which invariably greet its appearance have barely ceased when the superb *cancan* begins, to the infinite delight of the brawling oscillating crowd of semi-inebriated votaries of Terpischore, who, spurred on to lunacy by the stirring movement, flushed, rapt, reckless, yearning for motion, with savage cries of satisfaction, mingling with the shouts of "Vivi Arban," bravo, bravo, dance and romp, howl and shriek till, inert and voiceless, they stop from sheer exhaustion, unless an encore for the fourth figure revives their nerve and courage, when the same scene enacted till the figure abruptly terminates is the orgie, and the dense throng is turned out into the cold streets, where the carnival is continued in the cafes and restaurants till daylight.

Jay Gould's Operation in the London Stock Market.

[Special to the Cincinnati Commercial.]

NEW YORK, December 31.—An evening paper says a new leaf of Erie manipulation in the English market has just been developed, which exhibits a remarkably successful speculation on the part of Jay Gould in the London Stock Exchange. For several days past European Cable dispatches have announced a number of failures among speculators there, who have been selling calls on Erie stocks, which is equal to selling stock short for a decline. One large London house is announced to have failed on forty thousand shares. It turns out that Jay Gould, just previous to the Boston fire, sent a prominent Broad street speculator to London with letters of credit to a large amount, with orders to quickly buy calls upon an immense number of shares. The stock in New York had been depressed by Gould by about ten per cent., and was made to look very weak, to induce English speculators to sell calls at cheap rates. No dispatches were sent by cable, for fear of the operation leaking out, and the market for Erie was kept down until the return of the New York agent, two weeks ago, when the calls were all secured. The trap was sprung, and Erie shares ran up ten per cent. within two days. Gould's profits in the London market are estimated at $5,000,000.

BY TELEGRAPH.

TO THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION.

What Grant's Organ says About the San Domingo Scheme.

A Thorough Ventilation of the Credit Mobilier Called for.

Great Apprehension is Felt About Senator Sumner.

Sherman and Belknap Settle their Little Differences.

The San Domingo Scheme.

Special to The Atlanta Constitution.

WASHINGTON, January 3, 1873.

The Washington organ of General Grant says that a majority in Congress have always favored the annexation of San Domingo to the United States, and that a majority in the present Congress is in favor of it to-day.

THE CREDIT MOBILIER SCANDAL.

The same organ also demands that the doors of the Credit Mobilier investigation be opened, and that the evidence be given to the public.

SUMNER'S HEALTH.

Senator Sumner's condition is the subject of much apprehension to his friends. It is not believed, from present appearance, that he can last much longer.

"LET US HAVE PEACE."

General Sherman, and the Secretary of War, Belknap, have settled their little difference.

Evidence Closed in Stoke's Case.

The Court Crowded.

A Heavy Invoice of Emigrants

A NEW GOLD MINE.

Agricultural Convention

FIRE IN NEW YORK.

Americans to Possess the Sandwich Islands.

NEW YORK.

STOKES CASE.

NEW YORK, January 3.—Evidence in the Stokes case closed to-day. Argument is proceeding. The Court is crowded to excess.

SALE OF GOLD.

The government sold a million of gold to-day at a fraction over 11 1-2.

COLLISION OF FERRY BOATS.

Two ferry boats collided to-day with no damage.

MAN DROWNED.

A ferry boat run down a row boat drowning an unknown man.

HEAVY FOG.

Fog heaviest ever known.

EMIGRANTS ARRIVED.

Seventeen thousand emigrants have arrived since New Year's day, many of whom are destitute Italians.

MASSACHUSETTS.

BODIES WASHED ASHORE.

BOSTON, January 3.—The body of the second mate, Henry B. Pollard, and four other bodies from the wrecked ship, Peruvean, were washed ashore at Cape Cod yesterday.

CALIFORNIA.

A GOLD QUARTZ DISCOVERED.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 3.—It is reported that a rich gold quartz has been discovered at Selka.

WAR VESSELS.

British and American war vessels are concentrating near Honalute.

OHIO.

ICE MOVING.

CINCINNATI, January 3—The ice has moved carrying down the Carrie Brooks. The ice has moved in Madison, Ind., carrying down the Gen. Buel. The ice in Liking river has just stated.

GEORGIA.

AGRICULTURAL CONVENTION.

SAVANNAH, January 3.—The Committee on the Direct Trade inauguration appointed by the Georgia Agricultural Convention, of which General John B. Gordan is President, met in this city day, and issued addresses of which the following is a brief synopsis:

The Committee invites the cotton States to meet by delegation in convention at Augusta, Ga., on the 3d day of February next, and refer to the common interests of the West and South, and asks the delegations also from Cincinnati, St. Louis, Louisville and Memphis, etc. It notes the importance of great through lines by rail and water with the far West, especially the Atlantic and Great Western Canal; also the necessity of some combined organized and sustained effort to be known abroad of the advantages which the South offers to the interest of the whole country, in the increased prosperity of the South as well as enabling the Western farmer to work his land profitably. Millions of people in the South and West pay tribute to the enriched East in the hope of hastening prosperity by counseling together in the true spirit of American fellowship. Delegations of free amnesty are invited from the Southern States and from the West.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, January 3.—The Times of this morning says that it must confess that the Americans will eventually people the Sandwich Islands, which will become a valuable colony between San Francisco and China and the Australian lines. It reviews the question of annexation by fillibustering, as heretofore proceeded in new countries by great powers, and doubts the right or propriety of any nation taking possession of the Sandwich Islands in such a manner.

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

TENNESSEE.

ACCIDENT.

NASHVILLE, January 3.—Chief Justice McHalone, of the Supreme Court, fell down a flight of steps at the Capitol to-day, fracturing his thigh bone.

NEW YORK.

FIRE.

BUFFALO, January 3.—Ransom Sons, Patent Medicine Factory burned. Loss $70,000.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, January 3.—Earl Gallaway is dead; aged 73 years.

WASHINGTON DOINGS.

Appeal for Tenperance on New Year's Day.

SUMNER AND HIS POLITICAL DEATH.

[From The Constitution's Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 30, 1872.

A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

We are having real Northern Christmas holidays—cold weather and plenty of sleighing. Visitors to the Capital are greatly disappointed at the exclusiveness of the President in refusing to see callers during the holidays, and the politicians are furious over it. Grant will enjoy his ease, let the world's tumult wag as it may.

NEW YEAR'S DAY HERE.

is observed as much as in New York. Society in skirtcoats stay at home and dispense good things, edible and bibible, while clawhammer coats and immaculate kids call on their friends. In speaking of society, I mean every grade and shade of folks, from the Cabinet officers family down to that of your barber—it being an even thing that among the list of those whose names are given in the court journals as receiving on New Year's day, that the negro tonsorial artist whom you patronise will take precedence of the Senator from your State. The President has condescended to hold the New Year's reception.

Quite an effort is being made by the temperance people to abolish the custom of furnishing intoxicating drinks to visitors. The Rev. Dr. Tiffany, of the Metropolitan Church, in closing his sermon yesterday, made an appeal in that direction, and said that "the most prominent people in the land," looking at the President and Mrs. Grant in their pew, "would not offer their guests alcoholic beverages on that day." I called on a couple of the principal dealers in glass ware and gleaned enough to know that without those who receive purpose serving up coffee and chocolate in wine glasses, there will be more wine bibbing than usual.

THE ISSUE.

The Grant bugle—the Republican to day—in an editorial article, very plainly indicates what we may expect as the result of the recent election. The success of the Republican party means the "grand idea of one great government in place of seven and thirty governments," and if this is not carried out the great idea of the recent contest will have been lost sight of. This is the administration idea as fulminated through one of our court journals, and rest assured it means all it says.

THE IF'S IN BOUTWELL'S CASE.

I do not purpose to go over the case of Secretary Boutwell with regard to the syndicate operations, because the plain commonsense of the country knows that it was a job; but when the Chronicle here, one of the Grant bugles, desires that he will cut loose from the syndicate and go into the open market, it is time for us, who are not of the kith and kin of syndicates to enquire why one of the faithful, i. e., the Chronicle, no longer has faith. Will Congress act on the scruples of the court journal?

MORTON RAMPANT.

When the immaculate and mild-mannered brigand from Indiana says something, of course there is a good reason for it. Now the gentleman named Morton is in favor of Senators being elected by the popular vote instead of as at present—by the Legislature. As this new-born zeal of the Indiana Senator for regard of the people has just dawned upon us, we are hardly prepared to assign the controlling motive for this outbreak of guardianship of the people's right.

POOR SUMNER!

Senator Sumner is politically dead; yet in his political death he is probably more entitled to the gratitude of good men than when, in the plenitude of his power, he controlled the votes of his confreres in the Senate. He purposes making an elaborate argument in defense of his resolution striking all mention of the rebellion from our national flags, so as to vindicate his position before the country. Mr. Sumner now finds how unenviable a position it is to occupy—that of one who has advocated the entire crushing of all things in the pursuance of an abstract idea, and now find himself unable to stay the banaticism that he engendered, and is himself swept away in the mailstrom. Such is ever the fate of fanaticism.

I MERELY QUOTE.

"The success of the coalition would have meant the death of the American system, the abandonment of the grand central idea of one great government in place of seven and thirty governments." Here we have the grand pillar of Radical ideas, the centralization of all power in the Federal Government, and however crude or unartistic the court journals may present the idea it cannot be mistaken. Read and ponder, ye people.

CUBA.

There is no reason why I should add a word to the following quotation:

The question will come up in some shape and some Democrats will assist the administration in the matter. So it is rumored. That Grant has changed his policy is assured, and will aid the Cubans on the first pretext is assured.

SUBSIDY POM.

Senator Pomeroy has gone home to fight for re-election, and as he has many ducats he "may make the riffle," as his card playing constituents would say.

THE CREDIT MOBILIER

are in a bad way, and if certain prominent Congressmen, of both sides of the House, are not sharp and quick there will be the d——l to pay. The whole thing is rotten to the core.

PERSONAL.

The Hon. James M. Cavanangh, of Montana; Senator Hannagan, of Indiana, and George Gray, of Milwaukee, have entered into a copartnership for the practice of law here, and the prosecution of all kinds of claims. The numerous friends of Mr. Cavanaugh will be pleased to know this. *

THE LOVELY LYDIA.

A Reporter's Interview with Lydia Thompson, the "Fair One with the Blonde Wig."

The other day in St. Louis Miss Lydia Thompson told a Democrat reporter that she was married nine years ago in England to John Christian Tilbury, who a couple of years afterward broke his neck in a steeple chase, leaving her with a little daughter four months old—Leffie Agnes Lydia Tilbury—now in school at Liverpool. Below is printed a portion of the "interview," according to the thoroughly reliable reporter. Lydia says she is thirty-two, and there's no doubt that she's that old:

I went on the stage when I was fourteen years old, and immediately jumped into notoriety. We were poor—very poor. My step-father lost all his money; the family was large; my mother had three sons at one birth, and when they came the older children were compelled to earn their own living. I had been educated for opera dancing, and had been successful in my studies. One day as I passed along the street, I met two actors, who accosted me. I knew them, and after a few moments' conversation, one of them asked me why I did not undertake the part of "Silver Hair," in Buckstone's pantomime, about to be produced. We all went to the theatre, where I was introduced to the wife of the manager. She questioned me, took down my hair—it was longer than it is now; I could sit on it then—and examined my limbs. The result was my engagement, and I went on the first night. It was at the Haymarket, and the theater was crowded. O, such a coward! I was awfully frightened, and in the first few words of my speaking part I could hardly be heard. The manager stood in the wings and told me to speak louder, so I fairly shouted it out. My dancing was good, and all the people applauded me. That was the first scene. In the next I set my teeth together and determined I would succeed, and I think I did, for the Times came out the next morning with a splendid notice of me; oh, it was a magnificent notice; it was that long." And she held out her two forefingers about six inches apart.

"Well," she continued, "I played there a little while, and won considerable of a name for myself. Then I traveled and played all through Middle Europe. After a while I went back to London, and everybody remembered my name, and supposed that I must be an old woman. That's the way that story started."

"When did you come over here?"

"About four years ago. I brought a troupe over with me, but have only one of the original company left."

"Is your troupe composed of English girls?"

"With the exception of one—she is Irish. But tell me, what other stories are going around about me?"

"There are a good many, Miss, but I remember one, an absurd yarn, something about a newspaper man being horsewhipped, and they say you did it; but nobody believes that."

"But that one is true; I did horsewhip a man in Chicago—a man named Storey."

"Never heard of him—is he a reporter?"

"A reporter! not he, the mean-spirited wretch! He is an editor—he is the editor of the Chicago Times."

"Did you horsewhip him?"

"Yes, I did—I couldn't do anything else; I was forced to do it."

"What did he do?"

"He attacked me in his paper. He didn't criticise me as an actress; I never should object to that, but he abused me personally and slandered me outrageously."

"What did you do?"

"What could I do? If I sued him, as I at first intended, I never could be on hand when the suit came on. I couldn't allow a gentleman to attack him, so I did it myself. But I'll never do such a thing again, you may be sure of that; not that I am sorry for what I did then, but I don't court that style of notoriety."

"You'll never horsewhip another newspaper man?"

"No."

"Sure?"

"Yes."

The reporter breathed more freely, and assumed a jocose air.

"Miss Thompson," said he, with a smiling visage, dropping into a careless attitude, "suppose I should go off and misrepresent or abuse you in the paper I represent, what would you do?"

"Do! what would I do? I'd snatch your hair out of your head. I'd wind those ears of yours around my arm and pull them out by the roots. I'd take your eyes for slung shots and break your skull."

"But you wouldn't horsewhip me?"

"No; I'll never do that again."

"Will you allow me to look at you, Miss Thompson, with a view of getting a personal description of you?"

"Certainly."

The reporter inspected her closely. She weighs about one hundred and thirty-five pounds, is trimly built and active. She was attired in a quilted black silk, plain, with cuffs and collar. A breastpin, from which dangled her chatelaine, confined the collar. Her hair was worn en Pompadour, and attracted the reporter's attention.

"Do you wear a wig, Miss Thompson?" he asked.

"Why, no."

"Is your hair bleached?"

"Certainly not. That is its natural color."

"I've heard that you wear a wig."

"You can try it if you like."

She took her hair down, and the reporter grasped it in both hands. He put his foot on her shoulder and pulled. She cried for mercy, but he had made up his mind not to let personal considerations stand in the way of his investigations in the cause of science.

"Are you satisfied?" she gasped.

"Not yet," he answered.

He took a bight around the leg of the table, and hauled.

"I think its a wig!" he shouted, as he took another turn.

The table leg broke off short, but he caught the door knob and pulled her over a chair. The chandelier caught his eye, and he threw the hair over it. Hand over hand he hauled, and up she went till her head touched the burner. Taking a hitch around the sofa, he folded his arms and stood contemplating her.

"Let me down!" she demanded.

"Do you own up to a wig?"

"I do, I do!"

Financial and Commercial.

Telegraphic Markets.

NEW YORK, January 3.—Cotton firm; middling uplands 20¾; Orleans 21¼.

Cotton—net receipts to-day 859; gross receipts 3,950 bales.

Cotton sales for future delivery to-day 17,510 bales, as follows: January, 19¾a20. February, 20⅛a20 5-16. March, 20a20¼a20 9-16. April, 20¾a21. May, 21¼a21 7-16. June, 21a21 13-16a21¼. July, 22.

Flour steady. Whisky dull and lower at 74. Wheat in limited demand and unchanged. Corn a shade firmer and quiet. Rice firm 8a8¼. Pork firmer at $13 37½. Lard firmer at 7⅞a8¼. Navals quiet. Freights quiet.

Money stringent during the day and drooped at close—5a6. Sterling quiet at 9¼. Gold 11¼a11⅜. Governments quiet all day and nearly nominal.

LATER—81s 14½; 62s 12⅛; 64s 13; 65s 13½; new, 12⅜; 67s 13½; 68s 13¼; new 5s 11⅛; 10-40s 9⅜.

Tennessees 6s 79; new 79. Virginia 6s 45; new 50. Consols 54; Deferred 15½. Louisiana 6s 50; new 50; Levee 6s 50; 8s 60. Alabama 8s 80; 5s 55. Georgia 6s 70; 7s 85. North Carolinas 33½, new 19. Special tax 13. South Carolinas 48; new 20. April and October 22.

Sub-Treasury balances—Gold forty millions two hundred eighty three thousand five hundred and forty-one dollars. Currency—twenty millions ten thousand six hundred and twenty-nine dollars.

NEW YORK, January 3.—The following is a comparative cotton statement for the week ending to-day:

Receipts at all ports for the week	104,311 bales.
Same time last year	100,078 "
Showing a decrease of	4,817 "
Total receipts for the year	1,730,440 "
Total receipts same time last year	1,497,549 "
Showing an increase of	232,895 "
Exports for the week	73,782 "
Same time last year	56,423 "
Showing an increase of	16,359 "
Total exports for the year	905,629 "
Total exports same time last year	750,024 "
Showing an increase of	155,605 "
Stock at all United States ports	514,948 "
Stock at all United States ports same time last year	512,979 "
Showing an increase of	1,9 9 "
Stock at interior towns	77,441 "
Stock at interior towns same time last year	91,541 "
Showing a decrease of	14,100 "
Stock at Liverpool, Dec. 31	420,000 "
Stock at Liverpool same time last year	564,000 "
Showing a decrease of	144,000 "
American afloat for Great Britain	204,000 "
Same time last year	125,000 "
Showing a decrease of	79,000 "

NEW ORLEANS, January 3.—Cotton active and in good demand; good ordinary 18¼; low middling 19¾; middling 20; net receipts 6,234 bales; gross 7,175; exports to Great Britain 1,600; sales 1,600—last evening 4,000; stock 167,715; weekly net receipts 25,601; gross 31,850; exports to Great Britain 15,233; to the continent 11,681; coastwise 4,381; sales 27,000.

Flour dull; treble $7 50a850; family $9a10 50. Corn dull and lower; mixed, yellow and white 75. Oats quiet at 50. Bran easier at $1 40. Hay scarce and firm; prime $42; choice $45. Pork dull and held at $13 50. Dry salt meats scarce at 6a8a8¼. Bacon dull and lowerat 5¾a9¼a9½. Hams scarce at 18. Lard in good demand; tierce 8¼a8¾; keg 9¼a10. Sugar dull; inferior 6; common to good common 6¼a7¼; fair to full fair 7¾a8¼; prime 9. Molasses 1a2 cents higher; centrifugal 31a38; common 40a51; fair to choice 54a61. Whisky—Louisiana 92. Coffee firm 16a19.

Sterling exchange 21¼; sight ½ discount. Gold 11⅛.

WILMINGTON, January 3.—Cotton firm; middlings 19¼; net receipts 107 bales; exports coastwise 378; sales 137; stock 3,093; weekly net receipts 935; exports coastwise 1,665; sales 294.

NORFOLK, January 3.—Cotton firm; low middlings 18 3-4; net receipts 2,287 bales; gross 2,287; exports coastwise 1,500; sales 25; stock 11,718; weekly net receipts 7,926; gross 9,226; exports coastwise 9,536; sales 1,207.

MOBILE, January 3.—Cotton firm; good ordinary 18¼; low middlings 19¾; middlings 20; net receipts 291; exports to Great Britain 3,367; exports coastwise 1,072; sales 1,500; stock 41,009; weekly net receipts 1,95; exports to Great Britain 7,382; coastwise 6,069; sales 12,000.

BALTIMORE, January 3.—Cotton firm; middlings 20 3-4; sales 170 bales; stock 10,183; weekly net receipts 38; gross receipts 2,120; to Great Britain 937; coastwise 870; sales 1,450.

CITY POINT, January 3.—No receipts of the week 225 bales.

LOUISVILLE, January 3.—Flour firm and in good demand and unchanged. Corn unchanged. Provisions in fair demand and steady. Pork $12. Bacon—shoulders 5; clear rib 7¼; clear sides 8 packed. Lard—choice leaf 7¾; keg 8¼. Whisky steady at 89.

CINCINNATI, January 3.—Corn firm and unchanged. Pork held firmly at $12. Lard quiet; kettle rendered 7¾a7¾; steam 7a7¼. Bacon steady; shoulders 4 3-4a5; clear rib 7 1-2a7 3 4; clear sides 7 3-4. Whisky 88.

ST. LOUIS, December 3.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Corn in fair demand; for No. 2 mixed 31 at east St. Louis elevator, 34a35 in St. Louis warehouse. Whisky quiet at 90. Pork nominal at $11 75. Bacon nominal; shoulders 5a5 1-4; clear rib 7 1-2; clear sides 7 3-4a8. Lard nominal at 6 7-8a7.

PROVIDENCE, January 3.—Cotton firm; middlings 20 3-4; weekly receipts 80 bales; sales 5,000; stock 12,000.

AUGUSTA, January 3.—Cotton firm and in good demand; middlings 18 3-4; net receipts 1,281 bales; sales 1,1 ; stock 1872, 19,424; 1873 by actual count 11,350; weekly receipts 7,238. shipments 5,8 ; sales for export 355.

CHARLESTON, January 3.—Cotton strong; middlings 19 5-8; net receipts 2,095 bales; gross 2,885; exports coastwise ; sales 1,000; stock 45,295; weekly net receipts 12,933; gross 13,748; exports to Great Britain 2,435; to the continent 400; coastwise 6,39 ; sales 6,500.

SAVANNAH, January 3.—Cotton firm; ordinary 18; good ordinary 18¾; low middlings 19; net receipts 3,686 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,907; coastwise 1,60 ; sales 2,456; stock 84,009; weekly net receipts 24,099; exports to Great Britain 19,689; to continent 2,130; coastwise 7,082; sales 10,187.

MACON, January 3.—Cotton firm; low middlings 18¼; weekly net receipts 1,946 bales; shipments 1,66 ; stock, 1873, 13,307; 1872, 14,605.

BOSTON, January 3.—Cotton steady; middlings 21; net receipts 35 bales; gross 1,623; exports to Great Britain 98; sales 500; stock 6,000. Weekly net receipts 435; gross 13,808; exports to Great Britain 98; sales 2,500.

COLUMBUS, January 3.—Cotton—low middlings 18¼. Weekly receipts 434 bales; shipments 2,367; sales 1,833; shipments 357; stock 10,286.

NASHVILLE, January 3.—Cotton firm; low middlings 18. Weekly receipts 1,535 bales; shipments 1,9 5, stock, 1873, 5,333; 1872, 4,491.

PHILADELPHIA, January 2.—Cotton firm; middlings 20 3-4a21; net receipts of the week 201 bales; gross 2,500.

MEMPHIS, January 3.—Cotton active and higher; middlings 20¼a20¼; receipts 1,565; shipments 2,958; stock, 1873, 33,974; 1872, 23,955; weekly receipts 8,836; shipments 14,380; sales 12,850.

GALVESTON, January 3.—Cotton strong; good ordinary 17 1-2a17 3-4; net receipts 3,847 bales; exports coastwise 164; sales 1,500; last evening 800; stock 71,019; weekly receipts 11,394; exports to Great Britain 2,941; coastwise 4,074; sales 6,900.

LONDON, January 3, evening.—Money on securities lower by 1a1¼ than bank rate. Turpentine 43s 6d.

PARIS, January 3, evening—Rentes 53f 65c.

LIVERPOOL, Januuary 3, evening.—Sales of cotton shipped from Savannah and Charleston in November and December, at 10 3-16, and from Savannah or Charleston in October and November 10 5-16.

LATER—Cotton closed unchanged; sales 18,000, of which 8,000 were American. Yarns and fabrics ted upward.

Announcements.

FOR COMPTROLLER GENERAL.

Colonel Peterson Thweatt is a candidate for the office of Comptroller General, subject to a Democratic nomination. dec24—dtd

General LaFayette McLaws is announced as a candidate for Comptroller General, subject to the Democratic nomination. dec20-dtd

Colonel W. L. Goldsmith, of DeKalb county, is a candidate for Comptroller General, subject to Democratic nomination. Election next January by the General Assembly. dec12-dtiljan13

Sam'l B. Cleghorn, of Columbus, is a candidate for election to the office of Comptroller General, subject to Democratic nomination. Election by the General Assembly in January, 1873. nov1-dtn

Colonel Wm. J. Magill will be a candidate for election to the office of Comptroller General, subject to Democratic nomination. sep29-dtn

Thompson Allan, Esq., is a candidate for Comptroller General, subject to the control of the Democratic party. Election by General Assembly in January, 1873. sep7-dtn

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

The citizens of the 1026th District, G. M., desiring to show their appreciation of the ability and impartiality with which Justice R. S. Waters has discharged the duties of his position, propose to re-elect him on the first Saturday in January next, by an overwhelming majority. An honest Justice of the Peace is a treasure to any community. Judge Waters is emphatically the right man in the right place.

James O'Campbell is a candidate for the position of Constable. Let the people turn out and roll up the loudest majority of the season. The election will be held at the Justice's Court Room on Peachtree street. dec21-dtde MANY VOTERS.

FOR STATE TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce Wm. F. Jones, of Polk county, as a candidate for the office of State Treasurer. dec21-dtd

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE.

The name of Hon. W. T. McCullough, of Jones county, is announced a candidate for secretary of State.

The name of Mr. John F. Jones, is announced as a candidate for Secretary of State. dec18-dtd

TO THE VOTERS OF FULTON COUNTY.

Editors Constitution: Please announce that I am a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Fulton county at the ensuing election, January 1st, 1873, and pledge myself, if elected, to discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

nov21-dtde J. C. HOLBROOK.

Messrs. Editors: Please announce that I am a candidate for Sheriff of Fulton county, at the ensuing election, January 1st, 1873, and will endeavor if elected to appoint such Deputies as will be acceptable to the whole people of the county.

nov13—dte W. D. BROWN.

FOR MESSENGER OF THE HOUSE.

V. A. Brewster, of Polk county, is announced as a candidate for Messenger of the House of Representatives. dec18-dtd

We are authorized to announce Mr. John A. Crawford, of Athens, Ga., as a candidate for Secretary of State, subject to the Democratic nomination. oct8-td

FOR CLERK OF THE HOUSE.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. H. Delano, of Fort Gaines, Ga., as a candidate for Clerk of the House of Representatives. nov1-dtde

New Advertisements.

Boarding.

MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE, families, and others will find desirable board at the Calhoun House, Alabama street.

jan4—d6t A. R. BROWN.

NOTICE.

THE firm of Moreland & Ankston is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All those owing the firm will find the books in R. T. Moreland's hands for collection. jan1-d6t

Partnership.

ON account of impaired health, from a too close application to my profession, and having determined in consequence to visit Florida for a short period to recuperate, I have this day associated with me Dr. J. J. Cooley, a gentleman of skill and experience as a dentist, and one in whom my friends and patients may place implicit confidence, who will attend to my practice during my absence. The firm will hereafter be "Ford & Cooley."

ARTHUR C. FORD, D. D. S.,

Office cor. Whitehall and Alabama streets.

January 1st, 1873—jan4-dlt

To Lease.

OFFICE ATLANTA ICE MANUFACTURING COMPANY,
ATLANTA, GA., January 2, 1873.

SEALED PROPOSALS for the Lease of the property of the Atlanta Ice Manufacturing Company for a term of one to five years, will be received until 12 o'clock, of January 9, 1873. Proposals must state the amount of rental and amount of bond offered, also, the names of bondsmen.

J. T. BURKE, Secretary,

jan4-d4t P. O. Box 4 5.

N. R. Fowler, Auctioneer.

Large Store House and Lot, Property of Larkin Davis.

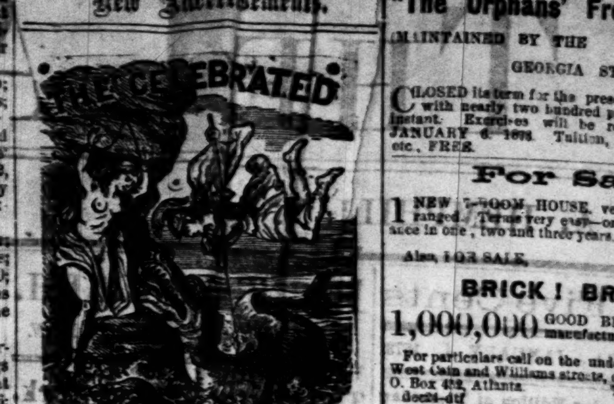
Sale Thursday afternoon, January 9, 1873, at 4 o'clock, on the premises.

THIS capacious Store House fronts on Broad street 30 feet, extending back 175 feet to Forsyth street, adjoining property of Stanton and Morris. The building has two stories, besides basement. The stairway leading to the upper rooms belongs exclusively to this store. The upper story is now occupied by Mr. F. R. Block, under a lease running yet about three years. The lower room is unoccupied. This Store House has superior advantages for heavy business, both retail and wholesale, opening on both Broad and Forsyth streets, with depth and breadth unsurpassed by any store in the city. Parties wishing to make a paying investment on a thoroughfare rapidly increasing in commercial business, have in this a splendid opportunity. The purchaser gets the benefit of the lease at once.

Terms—Half cash, balance three and six months, with 10 per cent. interest. Titles sound.

jan4-d4t WALLACE & FOWLER, Real Estate Agents.

New Advertisements.



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ARE ENDORSED AND PRESCRIBED BY MORE leading Physicians than any other Tonic or Stimulant now in use. They are

A SURE PREVENTIVE,

For Fever and Ague, Intermittents, Biliousness and all disorders arising from malarious causes. They are highly recommended as an ANTI-DYSPEPTIC, and in cases of INDIGESTION are invaluable. As an APPETIZER and RECUPERANT, and in cases of GENERAL DEBILITY they have never in a single instance failed in producing the most happy results. They are particularly

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Strengthening the body, invigorating the mind, and giving tone and elasticity to the whole system. The HOME BITTERS are compounded with the greatest of care, and no tonic stimulant has ever before been offered to the public so PLEASANT TO THE TASTE and at the same time combining so many remedial agents endorsed by the medical fraternity as the best known to the Pharmacopœia. It costs but little to give them a fair trial, and

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No preparation in the world can produce so many unqualified endorsements by physicians of the very highest standing in their profession.

Endorsed also by the Clergy and the leading denominational papers.

REV. WM. E. BABCOCK, the oldest Methodist minister in St. Louis, says the Home Bitters were most grateful in contributing in the restoration of my strength, and an increase of appetite.

OSCEOLA MO., June 25, 1871.

Persons greatly debilitated, as I have been, and who require a tonic or stimulant, need seek for nothing better than the Home Bitters. S. W. COPE,
Presiding Elder M. E. Church, Plattsburg District.

UNITED STATES MARINE HOSPITAL,
ST. LOUIS MO., Oct. 8, 1870.

JAMES A. JACKSON & Co.—I have examined the formula for making the "Home Stomach Bitters," and used them in this hospital the last four months. I consider them the most valuable tonic and stimulant now in use. S. H. MELCHER,
Resident Physician in charge U. S. Marine Hospital.

JAMES A. JACKSON & Co.—Gentlemen: As you have communicated to the medical profession the recipe of the "Home Bitters," it cannot therefore be considered as a patent medicine, no patent having been taken for it. We have examined the formula for making the "Home Bitters," and unhesitatingly say the combination is one of rare excellence, all the articles used in its composition are the best of the class to which they belong, being highly Tonic, Stimulant, Stomachic, Carminative and slightly Laxative. The mode of preparing them is strictly in accordance with the rules of pharmacy. Having used them in our private practice, we take pleasure in recommending them to all persons desirous of taking Bitters, as being the best Tonic and Stimulant now offered to the public.

FRANK G. PORTER,
Prof. Obstetrics and Diseases of Women, College of Physicians, and late member Board of Health.

L. C. BOISLINIERE Prof. of
Obstetrics and Diseases of Women, St. Louis Med. College.

DRAKE McDOWELL, M. D.,
Late Pres't. Mo. Medical College.

E. A. CLARK, M. D.,
Prof. Surgery, Mo. Medical College and late Resident Physician City Hospital, St. Louis Missouri.

HERBERT PRIMM, Prof.
Practical Pharmacy, St. Louis College of Pharmacy.

J. C. WHITEHILL, Ed. Medical Archives.

ALF. BRACOCK, M. D. — Dr. C. V. F. LUDWIG,
C. GERICKE, M. D. — S. GRATZ MOSES, M. D.
C. A. WARE, M. D. — W. A. WILCOX, M. D.

R. C. FRANKLIN, M. D.,
Prof. Surgery, Homœopathic Medical College.

T. J. VASTINE, M. D., — T. G. COMSTOCK, M. D.,
Prof. Midwifery and Diseases of Women, College of Homœopathic Physicians and Surgeons.

JOHN T. TEMPLE, M. D.,
Prof. Materia Medica and Therapeutics, Homœopathic Medical College of Missouri.

JNO. CONZLEMAN, M. D., Lecturer
On Diseases of Children, Homœopathic College of Missouri.

CHARLES VASTINE, M. D.,
Prof. of Physiology, Homœopathic Medical College of Mo.

JOHN HARTMAN, M. D., Prof.
Clinical Medicine, Col. Homœopathic Physicians and Surg's.

They are superior to all other Stomach Bitters.
ENNO SANDERS, Analytical Chemist.

No Bitters in the world can excel them
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The formula for the Home Bitters has been submitted to us, and we believe them to be the best tonic and stimulant for general use now offered to the public.

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Prof. Chemistry, Rush Medical College.
H. S. HAHN, M. D. — J. B. WALKER, M. D.,
R. McVICAR, M. D., — T. S. HOYNE, M. D.,
NEW'N. S. BARNES, M. D., — THOS. T. ELLIS, M. D.
R. LUDLAM, M. D., — J. A. HAHN, M. D.
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Nearly all of whom are Professors in one or the other of the Medical Colleges.

No other Bitters have ever been offered to the public embracing so many valuable remedial agents.

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J. H. BUCKNER, M. D., — W. R. WOODWARD, M. D.,
G. A. DOHERTY, M. D., — R. S. WAYNE, Chemist.
C. WOODWARD, M. D., — G. K. TAYLOR, M. D.,
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And Hundreds of Others

in all parts of the North, West and South.

J. E. GARNER, M. D., Milwaukee.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, March 27, 1871.

JAMES A. JACKSON & Co.—Having examined the formula of the "Home Stomach Bitters," I have prescribed them in my practice for some time, and pronounce them the best Tonic Bitters now in use. P. H. McMAHON, M. D.

☞ For sale by all druggists and grocers.

James A. Jackson & Co., Proprietors.

Labratory 105 and 107 N. Second St., St. Louis Missouri.

NOTICE.

TOLLED before me on this 1st day of January, 1873, as an estray, by W D Abbott, of the 637th District, G. M., of DeKalb county, Georgia, a large flea-bitten gray HORSE, some 12 or 13 years old, lame in the right shoulder. Appraised by J. W. Mitchell and James Vincent, freeholders of said district, to be worth seventy-five dollars, and worth seventy-five cents a day to keep said horse.

The owner is hereby required to come before me, prove property, pay costs and expenses, and take him away, else said Horse will be sold on the first Tuesday in March next, before the Court House in Decatur, DeKalb County.

W. R. WEBSTER, Ordinary.

jan4-60d Printer's fee $6

NOTICE.

TOLLED before me as an estray, on the 3d day of January, 1873, by John H Wyly, of the 1026th district, G. M., of Fulton county, Georgia, one black steer, about three years old, with some white on belly, rump, tail and legs, marked with an underbit in the left ear. Appraised by S. P. Brown and A. Brown, freeholders of said District, to be worth $5 and worth 25 cents per day to feed it.

The owner is hereby notified to come before me, prove property, pay costs and charges and take it away, else it will be sold on the premises of said Wyly, the taker up, about two miles from Atlanta, on the Georgia Railroad, on Monday, the 13th day of January, 1873.

JNO. T. COOPER, Clerk C. O.

jan4-d1t Printer's fee $3

KIRKWOOD HIGH SCHOOL,

5 Miles Above Decatur on Georgia R. R.

ASSOCIATE PRINCIPALS:

W. J. NORTHEN.....Rector Mt. Zion Select School

CHAS M. NEEL.....Pricipal Kirkwood Select School

Spring Session will begin

January 13th, 1873.

The system of instruction has been indorsed by six Colleges at the South and a large patronage throughout the Southern States.

Expenses Spring Session, $156. Fall Session, $104.

Parties in Atlanta may obtain board for their children from Monday until Saturday during the week.

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GUTHMAN & HAAS,

No. 3 Granite Block, Broad Street, ATLANTA, GEORGIA,

Wholesale Liquor Dealers,

SOLE AGENTS FOR THE CELEBRATED

PRIDE OF PENNSYLVANIA RYE WHISKEY,

—AND THE—

OLD TRIUMPH.

oct19—

Etowah River Land FOR SALE.

BY virtue of a power of attorney from the owner thereof, I will sell at 11 o'clock, A. M., at the door of the City Hall in the city of Atlanta, on Tuesday, the 7th day of January next, about four hundred and fifty acres of valuable land in the 16th district and 3d section of originally Cherokee, now Bartow county, situated on the Etowah River, and on the line of the Rome Railroad.

This land is considered very fine—a considerable portion of it being No. 1 River Bottom—and all, except the cleared land, which is in a high state of cultivation, being heavily timbered.

The attention of those wishing a delightful location, in a healthy section of the country, is invited to this sale. Examine it and come prepared to bid. It must be sold without fail, for one half cash; one half 12 months with 10 per cent. interest.

G. W. ADAIR,

December , 1872—d-ds Real Estate Agent.

Stockholders' and Directors' MEETING.

THE Regular Annual Meeting of the Stockholders and Board of Directors of The Scofield Rolling Mill Company will be held at their office on Marietta street, in this city, on the 10th day of January next, at 10 o'clock, M.

L. SCOFIELD, JR., Secretary.

Atlanta, December 28th, 1872—diljan10

"The Orphans' Free School,"

MAINTAINED BY THE GEORGIA STATE LOTTERY,

CLOSED its term for the present scholastic year with nearly two hundred pupils, on the 19th instant. Exercises will be resumed MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 1873. Tuition, books, stationery, etc., FREE. dec 22 clw

For Sale.

1 NEW 7-ROOM HOUSE, very conveniently arranged. Terms very easy—one-fourth cash; balance in one, two and three years.

Also, FOR SALE,

BRICK! BRICK!

1,000,000 GOOD BRICK of my own manufacture.

For particulars call on the undersigned, corner of West Cain and Williams streets, or address me to P. O. Box 432, Atlanta. T. G. HEWALD.

dec24-dtf

THE Georgia State Lottery, Authorized by the Legislature,

HAVING resumed the Combination System of Lotteries, will offer to the public on the

1st of January, 1873,

a liberal and attractive Scheme on Ternary Combination of Seventy-eight numbers.

Public Drawings every evening at Atlanta, at 4 o'clock.

PRIZES PROMPTLY CASHED.

Printed Schemes giving full explanations, may be obtained by applying to Managers or Vendors.

This is the only legalized Lottery in Georgia and offers the fairest and most Liberal Scheme of Prizes ever presented to the public.

The proceeds are appropriated to the education and support of INDIGENT ORPHANS.

For full particulars address

HOWARD & CO., Managers, Atlanta, Ga.

de 22-dlm

Wholesale Store for Rent.

I HAVE two Stores on the business center of Whitehall street, that can be thrown into one, forming an immense wholesale store. Make haste or you will miss your chance. A number of wholesale men are turning their longing eyes back toward the healthful breezes of Whitehall street.

F. D. THURMAN,

jan1-d6t Box 230.

Sam'l H. Richardson & Co., WHOLESALE Flour, Grain & Provisions,

No. 100 South Commercial St., St. Louis, Mo.

dec22-dlw

Citizens Bank of Georgia.

Authorized Capital $1,000,000

BANKING ROOM

REPUBLIC BLOCK, Atlanta.

DOES a General Banking Business of DISCOUNT AND DEPOSITE, Buys and sells Exchange, and makes Collections on all parts of the country.

JOHN T. GRANT, President.

PERINO BROWN, Cashier. jan1-dtf

TO MERCHANTS AND TRADESMEN!

WE OFFER 30 LOTS SOME IN THE CITY, some outside—for sale. Payments $5 and $10 per month, without interest.

Save Your Money,

young men, and invest with us—You will never regret it.

☞ Call at our office and examine plats.

WALLACE & FOWLER,
Real Estate Agents,
jan8-d9t No. 1 Alabama street.

TO RENT,

ONE office and BRICK STORE-ROOM under the Jackson House, Palmetto, Ga. For particulars apply to W. JACKSON. jan1-d3t

1873. WM. J. LAND, ANALYTICAL CHEMIST, ATLANTA, GEORGIA.

LAND'S CHEMICAL LABORATORY has been thoroughly refitted with improved apparatus just received from Berlin. Special attention given to the ANALYSIS of ORES of Ores Metals, Mineral Waters, Soils, Fertilizers, Coals, Rocks, Chemical Salts, Liquors, Burning Oils, Poisons, Medicines, etc.

A card of charges for analysis mailed gratis to applicants. No charges for consultation.

WM. J. LAND,
dec21-d3m P. O. Box 333.

GEORGIA Railroad Bank Agency!

THE business public is informed that DR. JAMES F. BOZEMAN has been appointed Agent at Atlanta of the above institution, as the successor of Perino Brown, Esq., resigned, and will take charge of the business on Monday next. Meanwhile, customers of the Bank will be accommodated at the Banking House by McCulloch Hillyer, Auditor of the Company, temporarily in charge.

W. W. CLARK, } Committee.
GEO. HILLYER, }

January 1, 1873 jan3-d

"WEAVER & CO," LOUISVILLE, KY., PROVISION, FLOUR —AND— Produce Brokers.

All Orders Promptly Executed.

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WHITNER & CO., General Insurance Agents.

HAVE REMOVED THEIR OFFICE to Wiley street to

East Side of Broad Street,

Second Door from Alabama.

They represent the most reliable and prominent companies in America, such as:

HOME, New York, Cash Assets

HARTFORD, Hartford,

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE, Cash Assets

GEORGIA HOME, Cash Assets,

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Madame Adele Roch

WILL resume the exercises of her Private School for young ladies on Monday, 6th inst., at her residence on Washington street, opposite the residence of Mr. Henry Tarver.

The Daily Constitution.

ATLANTA.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 4, 1873.

GEORGIA STATE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY, SECRETARY'S OFFICE, ATLANTA, GA., November 26, 1872.

I certify that the subjoined is that part of the report of the Judges at the late Fair, relating to the premiums awarded the Singer Sewing Machine:

No. [illegible] Best Family Machine: Premium awarded to Singer Sewing Machine.

No. [illegible] Best Manufacturing Machine: Premium awarded to Singer Sewing Machine.

[illegible] JOHNSTON, Ass't Sec'ty.

The above is the report of six out of nine of the Committee on Sewing Machines.

Mrs. Agnes Turner,	Mrs. C. Black,
Mrs. A. H. Lee,	Mrs. S. Cash,
Mrs. Sanford,	Mrs. E. H. Moore.

R. T. PHILLIS, Agent.

FAIR GROUNDS GEORGIA AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION, November 19, 1872.—Colonel H. D. Capers, superintendent Fine Arts Department: * * The Domestic, as a family machine, is the best.

[Signed] J. C. PECK, W. H. OSTLER, EDWARD PARSONS.

City Intelligence.

INDEX TO NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—Wallace & Fowler will sell Davis' brick store house and lot, on Broad street, next Thursday.

The Atlanta Ice Factory is offered for lease.

See partnership notice of Ford & Cooley, Dentists.

Desirable board at the Calhoun House.

Wall paper, carpets, etc., at Kendricks.

See estray notice by Judge Webster.

See estray notice by J T Cooper.

THE INAUGURAL BALL.—We are authorized to state that arrangements have been concluded by the committee with Col. Nichols, of the Kimball House, for furnishing an entertainment at the Inaugural Ball, on the evening of the 10th inst.

Each gentleman to whom an invitation is sent will be furnished with a card of admittance for himself and a lady, whom he is thereby authorized to invite. The number invited will be restricted within the capacity of the Kimball House to comfortably accommodate them. jan4-tf

Selma, Rome and Dalton Railroad,

PATONA, ALA., January 2, 1873.

Beau Campbell Agent S. R. & D. R. R., Atlanta: Our road repaired, and trains run through to-day. JOHN B. PECK, G. P. A.

M. C. & J. F. KISER.—In speaking of Mr. Everett, we omitted to say that he had become a partner in that popular firm.

Judge Lochrane reached the city yesterday from New York. He will leave for Washington this afternoon.

Bishop Pierce was in the city last night.

THE TWELFTH NIGHT CARNIVAL.—We have several orders from his Majesty King Rex, but we cannot give them in this issue on account of the completeness of our report of city matters. King Rex last evening was granted the freedom of the city on Monday night.

BOARDING HOUSE.—Members of the Legislature, families, or others desiring good board convenient to the business part of the city, will see the advertisement in another part of the paper. The rooms in the house are large and pleasant. The table is well and bountifully supplied.

The United States Circuit Court met yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. Marshall De Graffenreid, Esq., was admitted to plead and practice at its bar. Vacancies in the juries were also, after some little delay, filled up with talesmen.

The first case taken up was continued.

The case of Arnold vs. The Executors of Landrum was called, and set down for trial this morning at 10 o'clock. The Court then adjourned.

PERSONAL.—Messrs. Adair & Bros. have just removed to their new and commodious building, on Alabama street, between Broad and Forsyth. These gentlemen rank among our leading wholesale grocery and provision merchants. They also supply the country largely with fertilizers, and are prepared to do business on a more extensive scale than ever. Their vicinity to the depot of the great state road is a decided advantage.

THE RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

A Statement in Behalf of the Engineer at Fault.

We have been called upon by a friend of Aleck Johnson, the engineer in charge of the train that caused the recent fearful disaster upon the Macon Road. He states that the conductor of the train speaks in high terms of the engineer, and thinks that his falling asleep was not occasioned by drunkenness, but by overwork; that he saw him for miles distant from the scene of the disaster, and he was sober. Others also state that he was a fine engineer, and was always on time. We give this statement in justice to the engineer, and sincerely trust that the facts of the case may relieve him of all criminal culpability.

CHAPMAN & RUCKER.—These wholesale grocers have removed to their elegant new building, on the corner of Alabama and Forsyth streets. They now have ample accommodations for their large and growing business. They have a basement for storage purposes not often equalled. Their central location, with reference to the railroads and extensive buildings, unite to command for them a great trade than ever.

Thus the business places on Broad street and adjacent parts of streets intersecting it, are rapidly filling up, and will soon present the appearance of White hall.

TWO COLORED GENTLEMEN were up before Justice Butt yesterday. One of them, Tailor Jenkins, laboring under a common, but nevertheless erroneous, idea as to the rights of property, appropriated some whisky belonging to Mess. Cox & Hill, and forgot to mention the matter to them. The other gentleman, one Pat Gibbs, overcome by an innate weakness for good liquor, and the blandishment of his friend Jenkins, lent a helping hand in concealing and disposing of the spirits. The Justice failed to see the thing in its proper light, and consequently, bound them both over. One gave the required bond, but the other was induced to seek repose from his daily labors by retiring, for a brief space, from public life. The Justice was also busy, doing the day, issuing garnishments in civil cases.

THE MATTER OF FREIGHT STOPPAGES.

Letter From the President of the Chamber of Commerce.

ATLANTA, GA., January 3, 1873.

Editors Constitution: My attention has been called to a communication in your paper of this morning, signed "Merchant," and addressed to me, relative to the inability of the Macon and Western and Georgia Roads, during the past thirty days, to take the freight offering at this point; and intimating that there is a discrimination against our city by the chief management of these roads. I cannot believe that the authorities of these roads would discriminate against a city which gives them a large and better paying freight than any point they serve; and as there will be a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce next Tuesday night, I respectfully request "Merchant" to be present and state to the Chamber any facts he may have in the matter.

It may be further remarked that nearly every railroad leading from the West to the South is now blocked, all having more freight offered than they can take. I am further of the opinion that a proper presentation of any real grievances which the merchants of this city may have, through the Chamber of Commerce, to the railroad officials, will, as far as possible, will cause their abrogation.

Very respectfully,
BENJ. E. CRANE, President
Atlanta Chamber of Commerce.

ON WEDNESDAY afternoon, about six o'clock, our Police arrested a couple of darkies who had been engaged in the laudable occupation of stealing oil from the State Road depot. Their names were Charles Flemming and Charles Dangerfield. It appears that Flemming would steal the oil and Dangerfield would convert it to a small grocery which he keeps on Decatur street. They confessed the theft on Christmas Eve night, and had stolen nearly two barrels of oil. Dangerfield was arrested at his grocery, and Flemming at the Willingham building.

The owner of the oil intends to prosecute these parties to the full extent of the law, and we hope that he may be able to teach them such a lesson as will long keep them from any further indulgence in this kind of oil business.

We would, in this connection, call the attention of our railroad companies to the fact that they cannot be too vigilant in guarding their premises by night. Merchants are often unable to remove their goods at once, and are, therefore, liable to suffer much damage in this way.

INKS! INKS! INKS!—We have just received a lot of News and Job Inks. The latter is put up in 5 and 10 lb cans. Publishers will send in their orders at once if they want to get a good article.

RING OUT THE OLD

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RING IN THE NEW!

The Outgoing and Incoming Administrations.

Interesting Addresses by Mayors James and Hammock.

Standing Committees—New City Officers.

Annual Reports of the Committees

Complete Vindication of the Last City Administration.

Full Proceedings of Yesterday.

Council met. Present—Hon. John H. James, Mayor, and a full Board of Aldermen.

PETITIONS.

Of Lieutenant Henry Holmes, for pay for month he was suspended. Granted.

Of J L Atkinson, for relief. Referred to Relief Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee recommended the payment of the following bills. Adopted:

FOR LAST WEEK.

Rice & Mitchell, police	$ 15 00
Newton H Hand, police	3 75
N Boyd, relief	11 00
M Saboney, relief	17 00
Johnston & Camp, relief	6 00
McDaniel & Hooper, relief	4 00
T A Morris, relief	5 50
J R P Carlton, relief	32 00
J C Baird, relief	18 00
Mrs Lowe, relief	5 00
Howard, colored, relief	5 00
Mayes & Bro, relief	118 50
W W McAfee, P B and G	40 00
Cemetery pay roll	50 00
W A Harville, cemetery	18 45
G Pittman, W P and C	6 00
N Tribble, W P and C	6 00
King Stokes, W P and C	6 00
E Hoyle, W P and C	4 00
Street pay roll, streets	75 00
T C Harrison, streets	2 05
St Philips Church, streets	93 20
A Leyden, streets	343 57
A Murphy, street	23 90
J Lampkin, streets	100 00
S B Love, salary	30 00
F F Tabor, salary	15 00
J S Wilson, salary	75 00
W B Bass, salary	75 00
Mayor and Council, salaries	1,50 00
A W Mitchell, salary	[illegible]
Hunnicutt & Bellingrath, gas	18 93
	$3,6[illegible]

FOR THIS WEEK.

J W Goldsmith, salary	200 00
W T Newman, salary	200 00
J S Porter, salary	60 00
W T Stewart, salary	75 00
C C Hart, salary	62 50
W H Coe, salary	187 70
W H Pegg, salary	175 00
G T Anderson, salary	201 17
J S Smith, salary	91 66
J B Baird, salary	175 00
Wm Asher, salary	200 00
G Stewart, salary	100 00
J Connolly, salary	83 33
N Hunt, salary	63 00
G W Kennedy, salary	50 00
C C Hammock, Police	50 00
Johnson, Holland and Holcombe, Police	46 50
Henry Holmes, Police	15 50
J B Langley, Police	77 12½
J Mann, Police	13 12½
Helms & Berkle, Police	5 00
R W Tidwell, Relief	53 80
H A Fuller, Relief	6 00
W M & S J Lowry, Relief	5 00
J M Cook, Relief	21 00
Pinson & Connally, Relief	45 65
Fleshel & Bro, Relief	122 27
—— Smillie, Relief	8 00
T A Morris, Relief	2 00
J B Baird, Relief	10 00
M L Bridwell & Co, Relief	10 00
Mayes & Bro, Relief	60 00
J S Pemberton & Co, Relief	12 00
W W Sharpe, relief	10 00
J R P Carlton, relief	14 00
Mr J Archer, relief	7 00
G J Howard, relief	112 10
E R Bromby, relief	11 00
W C Asher, relief	37 50
W A Boyd, relief	25 00
Pinson & Connally, relief	21 40
E Parsons, incidentals	51 37
P Fitzgibbons, incidentals	11 25
S B Love, incidentals	18 00
J S Wilson, incidentals	4 40
V P Sisson & Co, printing	5 00
Atlanta Gas Company	1531 75
Hunnicutt & Bellingrath	187 70
J Mann, P B & G	2 40
W A Haynes, P B & G	5 00
Silvey, Dougherty & Co, P B & G	4 60
T M Clarke, P B & G	201 74
Hunnicutt & Bellingrath, P B & G	86 11
Fire Department	1,925 00
M Kreis, streets	12 00
Julian Purse, streets	25 00
Pelligrini & Georgi, streets	514 75
J D Wells streets	14 00
Hunnicutt & Bellingrath, streets	3 0 75
Young & Welsh, street	294 36
T M Craig, streets	175 00
J T Belcher, streets	42 00
G C Rogers, streets	12 00
Stephens & Flynn, streets	18 75
S Childs, streets	15 75
A C Craig, streets	21 75
N Mosley, streets	3 00
J Collier, streets	4 00
Estate of Pat Lynch, streets	316 28
J M Latham, streets	10 80
James Mann, streets	32 30
Street Pay Roll, streets	2 7 00
T M Clarke, streets	4 25
W K Booth, streets	10 25
Rice & Mitchell streets	15 25
King Stokes, wells, pumps and cisterns	6 00
N Tribble, wells, pumps and cisterns	6 00
G Pittman, wells, pumps and cisterns	6 00
Cemetery Pay Roll	62 50
Middleton & Bro., pumps	110 15
Total	$8,3[illegible] 46

RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Fowler—adopted:

Resolved, That the Clerk have the reports of the committees of Council and officers published in pamphlet form for the use of the city government and public.

By Alderman Wells—adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Mayor and Council are due and are hereby tendered to General G. T. Anderson, Chief of Police, Captain John L Johnson, Captain Joe Smith, Lieutenants J Sid Holland, Henry Holmes and Henry Holcombe, and the entire police force, for the faithful and efficient manner in which they have discharged their duties during the year 1872.

Resolved, That a check for $10 be passed up in favor of Little Richard Fitzgibbon, son of our worthy janitor, for the many courtesies received at his hands.

By Alderman Wilson—adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Council be tendered to Mr. Pat Fitzgibbons for the faithful, energetic and prompt manner in which he has cared for the City Hall and comfort of the Council.

By Alderman Mayes—adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Council be tendered to A W Mitchell for the faithful discharge of his duty as Auditor and Recorder.

By Alderman Castlebury—Adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this body is due, and are hereby tendered to Messrs. J. H. Franklin, W. B. Bass and W. T. Newman, for the faithful and efficient manner in which they have discharged their duties as city officers.

By Alderman Wells—Adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Council are tendered to S. B. Love, Clerk, and F. T. Ryan Deputy, for their faithful discharge of the duties of their office, their courtesy and promptness at all times.

By Alderman Roach—Adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Council are hereby tendered to Jerry W Goldsmith, Treasurer, John Connally, Sexton, and George Stewart, Street Overseer, for the faithful and efficient manner in which these officers have performed their duties.

Resolved, That a check be passed in favor of Dr W H Pegg for $50 for extra services in treating small pox at the Small Pox Hospital.

Mayor James retired, and Alderman Mitchel was called to the chair.

The following resolution offered by Alderman Hill, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Council are hereby tendered to Hon. J. H. James, Mayor, and Hon L. P. Grant, Mayor *pro tem.*, for the efficient manner in which they have discharged their duties.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Fire Department—Recommending that $164 65 be donated to R E Lee Engine Company as prayed for. Adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The amount of $41 counterfeit money received by Clerk of Council was ordered refunded to him.

The old Board recessed at five P.M. At six o'clock they re-assembled in the City Court Room.

Alderman Fowler moved that a committee of three be appointed to conduct the Mayor and Aldermen elect to the room, which motion prevailed, and the Mayor appointed as that committee, Aldermen Fowler, Farrar and Roach. Hon. C. C. Hammock, Mayor elect, was escorted to a seat by the side of Mayor James, and the Aldermen elect to seats. Mayor James then addressed the Board as follows:

ADDRESS OF MAYOR JAMES.

Gentlemen of Council:

At this the close of my official year as Mayor, it becomes my duty to make a report, and I also take this occasion to make a few suggestions to the incoming Council in behalf of the taxpayers. From the report of the various committees you can see what we have done and spent.

STREETS.

Notwithstanding the large amount of work we have done on the streets, we have spent about fifteen thousand dollars less than was spent last year. We have cindered and macadamized over two miles of streets and have put in over one mile of crossings, and a so put down (6) six miles of curbing. Most of the people have promised to put down sidewalks, but as only one mile has been done, I would advise the incoming Council to remove the curbing to other parts of the city where the property holders would put sidewalks down, as there is greatly in need of good sidewalks.

We have extended Hunter street to the cemetery, and have widened Whitehall and [illegible] streets, all at a cost of nine thousand dollars.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

We have finished the three Public School buildings, contracted by the last Council, and have paid money for repairing several rented buildings.

This amounts to over forty thousand dollars and appears in our account, which should properly be charged to the last Council, together with about eighteen thousand dollars used in building the new Station House, as they had this under contract when they retired, which leaves a very large amount from our extravagance, (so-called). We have spent but very little above our income, after these deductions, amounting to nearly fifty thousand dollars. We levied and collected a tax of (33) thirty-three and [illegible] of a per cent, [illegible] tax and paid the expenses of the Public Schools for the year 1873. I hope the incoming Council will do likewise and not issue bonds to run the schools.

GEORGIA WESTERN RAILROAD.

The Georgia Western Railroad is progressing finely. We have spent about one hundred thousand dollars grading and building pillars in the Chattahoochee river. The city's subscription is three hundred thousand dollars, with the privilege from the last Legislature to increase it to one million dollars. If this matter of increasing to a million is ever brought before the people I hope they will vote it down, as it will double our taxes, or nearly so, and what benefit will the railroad be to us if our [illegible] taxes upon us for life; think of this tax-payers.

How can we expect capitalists to invest here when the taxes are three times what they are at present? The Air-Line Road was built on three hundred thousand dollars—the same as the Georgia Western on the same amount.

Some say you will get interest on your stock. In answer to this I simply ask, where is the railroad in this country, built since the war, that is paying dividends?

Some say we will get coal cheap. But we cannot expect it much cheaper than we now get it during the summer months. Besides what do we want with cheap coal if we are taxed so heavily we cannot live in the city.

I warn you if you vote one million dollars to the Georgia-Western Railroad, when our debt is over one and one-half millions of dollars, then half a million to water works—something we must have—then our taxes will be three per cent. Mechanics and laboring men, how can you expect capitalists to build houses with that tax on them. Therefore, if this question comes up, we must stand up as one man and vote it down. Keep away such taxes, and encourage wholesale trade and manufactories and we will have the greatest city in the South.

I am anxious to see the road built, but I am equally anxious to save the city. Let us pay in our three hundred thousand dollars, and no more; then trust to State aid or something else to finish the road—no trouble about its being built in time.

MAYOR AND RECORDER.

A city with the population of Atlanta should have both a Mayor and Recorder, if we pay the Mayor a small salary to do it, for there are a great many good men in Atlanta that would fill the position of Mayor with honor to the city, who are entirely unfit for the position of Recorder.

You should have a law passed giving the Mayor veto power, and hold him responsible for all expenditures; or, in case they are carried over his veto by a two-third vote, then the Council will be responsible; and allowing the Mayor three or four days, after the Council meetings to consider and approve or disapprove all resolutions and ordinances.

Your expenditures would be diminished by holding monthly instead of weekly sessions.

AUDITOR AND CLERK.

Your Auditor should countersign and charge to the Clerk all license and receipts for money; for as it now stands the clerk could collect thousands of dollars and never account for it. I don't make this suggestion because I have seen or heard of anything wrong, but simply because I see the importance of "laying no gaps down." You should pass a law requiring your Auditor to go behind committees and examine all work and overhaul everything and allow nothing to send for persons and papers before approving bills for payment.

TAX COLLECTOR AND MARSHAL.

Your Collector should continue his collections, advertise by hand bills or circulars and not advertise executions in the newspapers, as it is calculated to injure your credit.

Your Marshal should devote his entire time to the peace and quiet of the city, and having nothing to do with the collection of taxes.

ISSUE NO MORE BONDS.

You should have section 87 of the City Code repealed by the Legislature and prevent this issuing of so many bonds. They now sell above 80. Checks are par.

HOW TO LIVE ON YOUR INCOME.

I would recommend to the new Council the importance of [illegible] an estimation of the amount of taxes they expect to collect, and divide among their different committees, not allow them to overrun that amount, for unless you have some good guide before you to limit the outgo of money away, you will soon go beyond your income, something I have pledged not to do.

I would advise you to dispense with the services of two Detectives, one for the Mayor and one for the Chairman of the Police Committee, which cost the city about [illegible] dollars per year. As my experience teaches me they are but little use to the city. I have done without one part of the year and saved the city some money. It would be well to establish a hospital in the [illegible] of the Guard House. [illegible] the Grounds [illegible].

[illegible]

We have had no [illegible], and what money we have spent has been spent on good terms.

In conclusion allow me to return my sincere thanks to each and every member of the Council, and to all officers and employees of the city, for their forbearance and uniform kindness to me during the past year, and I must say I have no fault to find with any of them. The Council now stands adjourned.

J. H. JAMES.

Justice W H Butt then administered the oath of office to Hon C C Hammock, Mayor.

On motion of Alderman Wells, the old Board adjourned *sine die*.

NEW BOARD SWORN IN.

The Aldermen elect were then sworn in, viz:

First Ward—W H Brotherton, J P Morris.
Second Ward—G T Dodd, N A McLendon.
Third Ward—D A Beatie, R C Young.
Fourth Ward—J W Sparks, J H Mecaslin.
Fifth Ward—F P Rice, J Goldsmith.
Sixth Ward—D A McDuffie, J A Boring.
Seventh Ward—J C McMillan, J N Langston.

After this the new Mayor addressed the Board as follows:

INAUGURAL OF MAYOR HAMMOCK.

Fellow Citizens and Gentlemen of the Council:

It was in the year 1839, perhaps, that two travelers who were journeying through this section of Georgia, halted on or near the spot where the mammoth Kimball House now stands, in order to seek an hour's refreshment from the fatigue of the dry and dusty road of some [illegible]. Their rustic meal ended, one of them arose, and strolling leisurely some distance away, seemed deeply engaged in viewing and admiring the adjacent scenery.

Looking toward the horizon, he saw the far off mountains, and taking a look in at a glance, the topography of the country, by which he was then surrounded. The man was so much absorbed in the subject of his thoughts as to excite the notice of his companion, who soon took occasion to ask the cause of such unusual interest.

"I was just thinking," said the other, "a magnificent inland city will, at no distant day, be built here."

The person who, over thirty years ago, uttered this remark, was no other than the distinguished statesman, Alex. H Stephens. Hence, gentlemen, for the grand old man has lived to see the prediction already well nigh verified. He recognized even then the incomparable local advantages. His ready foresight pictured to him in the light of [illegible] the accomplished facts, the many railways that [illegible] centre there. He could see the splendid city of vision, linked arm in arm with her fair sisters of Savannah and Atlantic coast. He could see Macon coming from the South; Montgomery, Mobile, New Orleans hastening from the West; and Nashville, Louisville, Cincinnati and great Gotham hereafter to take passage for Atlanta, via the Western and Atlantic Railroad. And now, as if to make assurance doubly sure, our young giant, the Air-Line, puts on her seven-league boots, takes a shortcut and threatens almost to annihilate time and space.

The rapid growth of Atlanta is perhaps without a precedent in the history of Southern inland cities. True, some have acknowledged the inability to detect her sources of nutrition, and upon their ignorance have predicated her downfall. Yet she still lives and thrives. In fact, she is more prosperous to-day than at any former period of her young life. It is a curious fact that on the 2nd of December, 1872, there were more local freight at her various depots seeking shipment than the railroads could possibly accommodate. So great became the pressure that by midday the wire refusing additional freight, and the offices of the Express, which had closed before sunset. But Atlanta has not yet achieved her greatness. Steam only on the road to it. She cannot stand still. She must go forward or fall backward, for such is the decree of the day, and she that lags is lost. Every year brings new necessities for enterprise, and it behooves us to adopt, with a manly grasp, every opportunity. Health, wealth and population, the essential elements of greatness, are [illegible] [illegible] with water, [illegible]; they mean that the time will come when Atlanta shall make perpetual oblations in the clear waters of the Chattahoochee; when the coals shall cease to be dry and the people shall bless those above forever; they mean that in view of the promised cheap rates on coal, the Georgia Western R. R., now in process of construction, must and shall be built; an enterprise with which this city cannot afford to dispense, for it will open to her grasp those rich mineral fields of North Alabama, which are so [illegible] linked with her destiny. North Georgia and Tennessee are entirely unable to supply the demand, though prices [illegible] at any price. The Western can and will give

It for a pittance. We should hasten the era of civic vitality, gentlemen, plans for the speedy success of these enterprises. The growing interest of the people in favor of water-works should be fostered and encouraged, for upon a proper system of such depends, in a great degree, the health and prosperity of the city. With an abundant supply of cheap coal and a well devised scheme of water-works in active operation, manufactures will spring up like magic in our midst, and with them increased wealth and population.

In order, gentlemen of the Council, to secure these inestimable results, let your watchword be—economy. The wanton habit of cutting down your hills and filling up your ravines must, to a great degree, cease. Look rather to the sidewalks that they be kept in a good condition, for while the rich are able to enjoy the luxury of artificial locomotion, it should be remembered that the vast majority—the bone and sinew of the city—walk.

Look well to the matter of public education. Your Public School system is established on a firm basis. It is no longer an experiment but a success. The idea of placing a good education within the reach of all is a grand one, which it behooves you to encourage with fostering care. Who knows but that the ragged urchin of to-day may carry under his cap the brightest intellect in the commonwealth?

In the discharge of the solemn duties of my office, I ask, gentlemen of the Council, your earnest co-operation, trusting that our intercourse, during this year, may be pleasant and full of harmony.

To the citizens of Atlanta, who have paid me the high compliment of making me their chief executive for the year 1873, I return my sincere thanks. The summit of my ambition shall be to make them a good and useful Mayor. Having voluntarily put me in this position, I shall expect their cordial support in my effort to sustain it.

In conclusion, let us enter upon the new year with the determination to make it the beginning of a Golden Era in the history of our beloved city. And now, gentlemen, without further delay, let us proceed to the work before us. I declare this body duly organized and ready for business.

Mayor Hammock then announced the following

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Finance—Dodd, Brotherton, Mecaslin, Goldsmith, Rice.
Ordinances—Goldsmith, Beatie, Boring.
Streets—Young, McMillan, McDuffie.
Wells, Pumps and Cisterns—McMillan, Beatie, Goldsmith.
Lamps and Gas—Mecaslin, Morris, Beatie.
Relief—Boring, Morris, Dodd, Beatie, Sparks, Goldsmith, Langston.
Markets—Sparks, Langston, Brotherton.
Fire Department—Rice, Dodd, Mecaslin.
Police—McLendon, Brotherton, Mecaslin.
Cemetery—Morris, McLendon, Sparks.
Public Buildings and Grounds—McDuffie, Morris, McLendon.
Public Schools—Beatie, Brotherton, Dodd.
Tax—Brotherton, Rice, Dodd.
Printing—Langston, Boring, McDuffie.
Salaries—Boring, Morris, McLendon, Beatie, Mecaslin Goldsmith, McMillan.

The committee on salaries submitted their report—published in the CONSTITUTION several days ago. The report was adopted.

Council then proceeded to the election of officers with the following result:

Clerk—Frank T. Ryan.
Treasurer—Jerry W. Goldsmith.
City Attorney—W. T. Newman.
Recorder and Auditor—D. F. Hammond.
Engineer—W. B. Bass.
Tax Receiver and Collector—J. H. Franklin.
Sexton—John Connally.
Keeper City Hall—Pat Fitzgibbons.
Keeper Magazine—J. S. Porter.
Keeper Alms House—W. F. Stewart.
Street Overseer—Martin Daily.
Chief Marshal—Col. John Thomas.
1st Deputy Marshal—Capt. J. L. Johnson.
2d Deputy Marshal—Levi C. Wells.
1st Lieutenant Police—F. J. Bomar.
2d Lieutenant Police—W. H. Holcombe.
1st Guard House Keeper—J. W. Butler.
2d Guard House Keeper—C. M. Barry.
Night Watch at Cemetery—J. R. Thompson.
Chairman Board of Health—Dr. C. Pinckney.
Physician first Division—1st and 5th Wards—Dr. W. H. Pegg.
Physician second Division—2d and 3d Wards—Dr. W. R. D. Thompson.
Physician third Division—4th and 7th Wards—Dr. C. J. McFall.
Physician fourth Division—6th Ward—Dr. W. C. Asher.
Assessors—S. D. Haslett, John T. Hall, I. S. Mitchell.

J. H. Mecaslin was elected Mayor pro tem.

Council adjourned until Saturday night, 4th inst., at seven o'clock, to elect balance of officers.

THE SUPPER.

After the adjournment the new board repaired to Poss's Restaurant to partake of a supper given them by the retiring board. Here the outgoing and incoming Aldermen and a hundred or two guests, sat down to a Royal repast. Mayor Hammock presided. Several speeches were made, and mirth and good humor sparkled around the festive board.

We have not time to detail the many pleasing circumstances of the hour. Sufficient to say that all—those elected and those who were not—all mingled together in congratulating the new board and giving to those the right hand of fellowship.

Two Aldermen were called to leave before the festivities were over. They were hoping that they might be daughters, but we doubt not that both are sons.

The pressure on our columns for the various reports compels us to omit many little incidents of the day.

We give below the annual reports of the Committees:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PRINTING.

Honorable Mayor and Council:

GENTLEMEN—The following is the amount of money expended by the Committee on Printing, for the year 1872, which includes all notices for organizing and opening the Public Schools, and all the stationery purchased for the use of the various offices of the city:

First Quarter	$363 77
Second Quarter	797 47
Third Quarter	578 59
Fourth Quarter	297 70
Total	2,036 90

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. WELLS,
WM. L. MORRIS,
T. A. MORRIS.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GAS.

ATLANTA, GA., January 3, 1873.

Honorable Mayor and Council:

Your Committee on Gas respectfully submit the following as their report for the year ending with this date:

At the beginning of the year we found that the stock of the city in the Gas Company was 1,710 shares, par value, of which, at $25 per share, was	$42,750 00
In January of this year, by a stock dividend, 855 shares were added to the city's stock, making total amount of city's stock at this time 2,565 shares, at $25 per share	64,125 00
The stock dividend as above, 855 shares, worth $25 per share	21,375 00
Cash dividend of 8 per cent. February 10, 1873, on 2,565 shares	3,206 00
Total amount accruing to city from gas stock in 1872	24,581 25
Amount paid for gas in street lamps during the year 1872	13,871 25
Amount paid for 132 new lamps, including service, pipe and lamp-lighting and repairs	14,360 00
Excess of expenditures over receipts	2,069 00

It will be observed from the above statement that the Gas Company is now due the city $12,210 00, the difference between the amount accruing to the city from stock and the amount paid the Gas Company for gas, including the stock dividend. In addition to this, there has been recently a dividend of 8 per cent declared payable on the 5th of this month. The Gas Company have put down 8,0[illegible] feet of main pipe during the year in Whitehall, Butler, McDonough and Peters streets. From these the city has extended in service and main service 17,000 feet, not only extending the lights on the principal thoroughfares mentioned, but on many others. This work is a much-needed improvement, and will enhance the value of property in their localities. There are 229 public lamps. In this there has been added 132 new lamps. We believe the work to have been well managed, and the superintendency efficiently performed by Mr. C. C. Rhodes, to whom your committee is under obligations for the many courtesies shown in the discharge of our duty.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

E. J. ROACH,
C. W. WELLS,
L. P. GRANT.

REPORT OF POLICE COMMITTEE.

Hon. Mayor and Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Committee on Police report fully report that the Marshal has

Collected on tax fi fas for 1870 and 1871	$591 43
Collected on general tax fi fas for 1872	37,190 [illegible]
Total	$37,[illegible]

All of which has been turned over to the Clerk of Council.

During the year there have been 1,[illegible] cases docketed, of which the following disposition has been made:

Number settled by paying fines	1,0[illegible]
Number settled by working on streets	[illegible]
Number settled by leaving city	[illegible]
Number settled by being remitted	[illegible]
Number settled by being dismissed	[illegible]
Number and uncollected	[illegible]

During the year the following amounts have been collected and paid over to the Clerk of Council, for which he has given receipts:

Fines collected first quarter	$984 30
Fines collected second quarter	1,125 75
Fines collected third quarter	1,169 00
Fines collected fourth quarter	685 50
Total	$4,[illegible]

Aggregate	$4,214 [illegible]
Number of days worked out by prisoners on public works	4,[illegible]

Most of the arrests that have been made were occasioned by drunkenness and disorderly conduct. The city, for the most part of the time, has been remarkably quiet for a city of this size, owing to the efficiency and energy displayed by our efficient corps of police, both officers and men.

REPORT OF STREET COMMITTEE.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your committee respectfully report that on taking charge of the Street Department they found two very large and expensive cuts to finish, one in the [illegible] and one in the Peters street—that had never been covered with earth or made passable also some heavy grading had been commenced which was in an unfinished condition upon the street [illegible] the City Hall one [illegible] upon Spring street. All of the above work we have completed at considerable cost.

CONDITION OF THE STREETS.

They have put Marietta street in good condition from Peachtree to the Fair Grounds.

Pryor street is good from the Kimball House to R. E. [illegible] residence.

Hunter street has been well worked from Vine street to the corporate limits.

Wheat from Pryor to Calhoun is in good order.

Simpson street is good its entire length.

Your committee has also put in good order Harris, Rawson, Fairmount, Cooper, Fraser, Clarke, Jones, Crew, Markham, Loyd and Washington streets. Thurmond street is also good. Harris and Ellis streets have been worked to the corporate limits in the East. Rolling Mill, Howland, Bradley and Fort streets have all been put in good condition. Cone, Walton, Fairlie, Peas, Mills, Foundry, McDonough, Smith, Richardson, Pulliam, McDaniel and Elliott streets have all been well worked.

STREET RAILROAD.

Some very heavy work has been done by your committee upon the streets occupied by the Atlanta Street Railroad Company. We followed the usage of our predecessors for a long time, viz: giving the company the permanent grade, and after they had reserved 12 feet from the center, sent the city carts to remove the remaining dirt. Finding this very expensive, your committee required the company to aid in the entire street work done upon the eastern half of Decatur street requiring them to aid an equal number of carts with the city.

In October the West End Railroad Company applied to Council for the grade upon certain streets, proposing to run a track of narrow gauge near to the sidewalks, outside of the business portion of the city. Your committee did not approve the application, there being serious legal difficulties existing between them and the other company. We desired to keep aloof until this matter was settled.

BROAD STREET BRIDGE.

Your committee regard the bridge on Broad street over the railroad as very unsafe, having already remained there as long as wooden bridges are usually allowed to stand. It has frequently been braced and patched during the year. They most respectfully recommend to their successors the propriety of examining into this matter immediately.

GRADING.

The following grading has been done by order of Council:

Marietta street at its junction with Alexander street.

Pryor street where it crosses Fair street.

Wheat street has been brought to a permanent grade from Pryor to Calhoun street, causing some heavy work.

Ellis street from Peachtree to Fort streets.

Hill, Connally, Grant and Kelly from the Cemetery running South.

Baker street from Luckie to Calhoun street.

Simpson street from Peachtree to the corporate limits.

Heavy cutting was done on Fair from Whitehall to Forsyth, and on Forsyth from Whitehall to Castleberry street.

Heavy grading was done on Walker and Nelson streets, and also on Formwalt street.

Council ordered some very heavy grading done on Windsor street, both filling and cutting; also, a considerable fill on Mitchell between Loyd and Pryor, in front of J H Calloway's.

A good deal of grading has been done for each one of the Public Schools.

Also, on Peachtree street from Cain to Oak streets.

ROCKWORK AND CULVERTS.

The rock walls on East Hunter, on Fair near Loyd, on McDonough at the creek, and on Margham near Elliott street, fell in the early part of the year, from continuous wet weather. Several smaller pieces of rock masonry gave way about the same time, all of which your committee had rebuilt at a reasonable cost. Only three culverts of large capacity have been built, for which were paid $8 per perch.

EXTENDING AND WIDENING STREETS.

During the year, Peters street has been widened from Barracks avenue to the corporate limits.

Hunter has been opened and extended, from Fort street to the cemetery.

Wheat street has been widened, from Peachtree to Pryor street.

Haynes street has been opened from Nelson to Walker street.

Simpson street has been extended from Marietta to Luckie street.

All this was done by order of Council. A good many [illegible] at small cost. Mrs. Terry was paid $1,[illegible] to property in the widening of Pryor street.

MULES, ETC.

Nearly all the city mules were attacked with the prevailing epizootic, but by close attention none were lost. Six mules were turned over to the Fire Department by order of Council. They have been well cared for and returned to the city stables in good condition. During the summer one mule died of blind staggers, and two old ones were sold by order of Council. At the same time your committee were instructed to buy three young mules suitable for cart purposes. The stable keeper's house has been newly covered with shingles. The city stables are in good condition. There has also been removed that portion of fencing around the mule lot which was too much decayed to repair, and a substantial, close fence, 8 feet high, built.

CURBING, FLAGGING, ETC.

By reference to the Engineer's report it will be seen that 118 rock posts, costing $1,130,00, have been placed in front of lamp-posts by order of Council. His report also shows over three and three-tenths miles of granite curbing laid. This was done on the petition of property owners. In most instances this was done on the promise of the petitioners to flag or pave the sidewalks where the curbing was done.

We have done a great deal in the way of rock crossings, graveling walks, and McAdamizing with rock and cinders. The latter material—cinders—has been donated to the city by L Scofield, who has placed a great many cinders on Marietta street at his own expense.

Attached we give

STATEMENT OF STREET OVERSEER,

concerning city property in his possession, belonging to the city.

Vouchers can be found properly filed with the Clerk for all of the expenditures made on the streets during the year.

During the year your Committee purchased, by order of Council, two new carts at $50 each, and two new heavy 2-horse wagons with two harness, at $160 each, for the wagons. The

ENTIRE EXPENDITURE ON THE STREETS

during the year is as follows:

For street pay roll	$30,919 30
For forage for mules	2,429 64
For stone masonry, sewerage and crossings	16,418 28
For cinders, resetting curbs and granite posts	12,912 20
For lumber, bridges, etc.	847 77
For tools and repairs	1,125 31
For hauling gravel for sidewalks, cinders for streets and dirt from cisterns	3,2[illegible] 3[illegible]
For purchase of mules and carts	[illegible]
For award of damages opening and widening streets	12,944 26
For incidental expenses	46 30
For grading by contract	5,026 46
For wood curbing	1,736 38
For sewer pipe and grates	6,314 38
Total	$85,540 59

Of the above amount $14,4[illegible] 50 was spent under the supervision of special committees. All of the work laid off by your committee has been completed; they have been laid out [illegible] ward.

Respectfully submitted,

H. L. WILSON,
L. P. GRANT,
A. LEYDEN,
Street Committee.

REPORT OF STREET OVERSEER.

Dr. H. L. Wilson, Chairman Street Committee:

I hereby return a full list of all the property in my hands belonging to the city, viz:

15 mules.
2 heavy new wagons and 2 sets new double harness.
21 carts, 20 in good order.
15 sets cart harness.
[illegible]
45 shovels—15 old ones worn out, also.
2 rock hammers.
3 axes.
2 saws.
1 crowbar.
1 wheelbarrow.
10 bridle chains.
1 lamp.
2 [illegible].
2 mattocks.
1 plow.
7 curry combs and brushes.

There are some old harness, picks, shovels, etc., at the stable, but of no value. Respectfully,

GEORGE STEWART,
Street Overseer.

REPORT OF CITY ENGINEER.

Hon. Dr. H. L. Wilson, Chairman of the Street Committee:

I beg to hand you herewith the report of all work done in connection with the Street Department of the city of Atlanta for the year 1872.

Permanent grades have been fixed on Forsyth, Ivy, Peachtree, Oak, Walton, Cone, Alabama, Pryor, Hunter, Baker, Windsor, Haynes and other streets.

STREET RAILROADS.

On application of the Atlanta Street Railroad Company grades were fixed on Peachtree, Oak and Ivy streets early in June. The road has been constructed and is now in operation on these streets. On the 26th of August the same company applied for permanent grades on Alabama, Loyd, Washington, Peters, Fair and McDonough streets, and was furnished the same the 2nd of September.

They applied on the same day for permanent grades on Hunter street, from the Cemetery to Forsyth street, along Forsyth to Mitchell, and west along Mitchell to the colored Institute, and were furnished; the Forsyth and Mitchell street line September 9th, and the Hunter street line November 3rd. They applied on the same day for the permanent grade on Whitehall street, from Mitchell street to the city limits, and were furnished the same September 13th.

On the 30th of August they applied for permanent grades on Broad, Hunter, Forsyth, Mitchell, Elliott, Hunter, Nelson, Tatnall, Nelson, across Collier's [illegible] and Thompson to Mitchell street, and were furnished the same September 9th. The work of construction is now progressing on this line.

They applied on the same day for a route along Houston, or such other streets as the committee might elect, to the various mineral springs in the north-east part of the city. Two or three routes have been submitted.

On the 11th of September, the West End and Atlanta Street Railroad Company applied for permanent grades on Pryor, Wheat, Calhoun, Houston, Fort, Cain, Hilliard, Harris and Rolling Mill streets to the city limits. The surveys have been made awaiting the order of the committee.

On the 17th of September, they applied for permanent grades on Alabama, Broad, Hunter, Forsyth, Mitchell, Thompson, Nelson, Elliott, Markham, Racetrack, Tatnall, High, Parsons and Beckwith streets to the city limits.

On the 16th of November, I was directed by the committee to furnish the grades, but that ground must not be broken until the style of rail and plan of superstructure had been approved by the property holders along the route. I have no information that this requirement has yet been complied with.

On the Marietta, Decatur and Peachtree street lines during construction, the company made the cuts and fills 12 feet in width, in the center of the street; the city doing the balance of the work. Exception, however, was made to this on Decatur street, east of Moore street, where the company furnished an equal number of mules and carts with the city. They also rendered some assistance on Marietta street, beyond the Rolling Mill, just before the State Fair in October last.

A resolution of Council passed in November, requires the Company to keep any street that may be hereafter occupied by them, in as good condition as before occupied. This the Company is now doing. The Company is now recoating, with broken stone or cinders, the space between the rails, and for three feet on either side in accordance with the provisions of section 436 of the City Code.

The number of cubic yards of earth removed on streets occupied by the street railroad during the year, is as follows:

Marietta Street	9,511
Decatur "	10,209
Peachtree "	4,156
Peters "	851
Total	24,727

SEWERS.

There have been built during the year three large stone sewers of dry rubble masonry, and were built by contract at the unprecedented low price of $2 per perch. They were located as follows:

One at the corner of Gilmer and Pratt streets; one at the corner of Baker and Orme streets; and one on Harris street near Orme. Other smaller culverts, retaining walls and general repairs of masonry have been built at very low figures.

ROCK CROSSINGS.

There have been laid down during the year 71 stone crossings, and we have contracted for five more. The unusual cold weather for the past week has retarded work in this line. They will be laid down, however, as soon as the weather will permit.

MACADAMIZING THE STREETS.

Macadamizing to the average depth of six inches of broken stone or iron cinders from Scofield's Rolling Mill, has been placed on Peachtree, Oak, Ivy, Pryor, Hunter, Decatur, Marietta, Broad and Peters streets, to the extent of 11,271 lineal feet, or 2 13-100 miles. The above streets, as far as Macadamized, are in good condition and will require but little work for years to come.

SIDEWALKS.

Sidewalks have been graveled or sanded in various parts of the city, to the extent of 17,345 lineal feet or about 3 3-10 miles. They are generally in good condition. The only exception is on a newly made bank where the depth of the gravel was insufficient.

WOOD CURBING.

Wood curbing to protect the walks has been laid down on various streets adjacent to the center of the city, to the extent of 17,761 lineal feet or a little over 3 3-10 miles.

STONE CURBING.

Stone curbing of gray granite, all uniformly cut, has been layed down to the extent of 17,413 lineal feet, or 3 3-10 miles. Quite a quantity of the same curb has been reset to conform to the permanent grades.

SEWER PIPES.

There has been laid down during the year 5 334 lineal feet of sewer pipe, principally of the "Cement [illegible]" patent, which from its shape, quantity of material, security of joints, reduction of friction and resistance to pressure, has been quite satisfactory. Some clay pipe, burnt and glazed, has been used; none however of the largest sizes where direct weight would come upon it. What has been used however has thus far given satisfaction.

PROTECTING LAMP POSTS.

Under a resolution of Council there has been set up during the year 118 granite posts for the protection of lamp posts.

STREETS OPENED.

The following streets have been opened by assessment:

Peters street from Barracks avenue to city limits; also has been widened fifty feet; Hunter from Fort street to the Cemetery; Wheat street extended to Peachtree and Haynes street through the Walker Street School lot to Nelson, and Simpson street from Marietta to Luckie street.

Please accept my thanks for yourself and committee for the kindness and courtesy always shown me during our official connection.

Respectfully submitted.

W. B. BASS,
City Engineer.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON WELLS, PUMPS AND CISTERNS.

Your committee respectfully report the following as their operations for the year 1872:

NEW CISTERNS.

We have had, under direction of the Council, one cistern built on Broad, between Marietta and Walton streets, supplied from buildings and without expense of pumping, of 100,000 gallons capacity; one on Marietta street of 20,000 gallons capacity; we have lowered the crown of one at the corner of Marietta and Alexander streets.

COST OF CISTERNS.

The cost of building new cisterns and renovating old ones, during the year, has been	$4,409 75
Ordinary repairs, filling cisterns, pumping water	2,222 50
Total	$6,632 30

Against $11,997 85 last year—a saving of $5,365 25. Your committee further report that there has been less money spent in this direction during this year, than has been since 1867, and have increased the cisterns 120,000 gallons, against 130,000 last year.

PUMPS.

Your committee further report the pumps in good repair, and have been kept so during the year, reflecting much credit on Middleton & Bro.

The cisterns generally are full of water and in good repair.

Respectfully submitted,

A. L. FOWLER,
C. W. WELLS,
R. M. FARRAR.

REPORT OF MARKET COMMITTEE.

The Committee on Markets beg leave to report:

We look upon the present system as being almost if not entirely worthless to the city, and does not any longer justify the employment of a Clerk for the performance of these duties alone. The Council of 1871 revoked the collection of fees on stock killed by butchers and others, thus taking out of the hands of the Clerk all the means of revenue to the city, except the weighing of stock.

The public scales, very early in the year 1872, got out of order and were never repaired. From these two sources, formerly, $3,500 was realized by the city, whereas, the past year only $9 70 was taken in.

We do not feel disposed to suggest any system for the future, but leave this for the consideration of our successors, to dispose of, as they, in their wisdom, may think proper.

We close by saying that the present Clerk, W. F. Stewart, is a faithful officer. He has, at all times, evinced an anxiety to do his duty and done so faithfully, so far as any facilities have been afforded him.

Respectfully submitted,

W. L. MORRIS, Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS.

Honorable Mayor and Council of Atlanta:

GENTLEMEN—Your Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds respectfully submit the following report of their operation for the year 1872:

The City Hall has been thoroughly renovated, and the furniture and other necessary appendages to fit up the City Court, room furnished. The City Hall lot has been graded and drained, and set with forest trees, most of which are growing. The Council Chamber has been fitted up in very handsome style under a resolution of your body.

The Station House on Pryor street has almost entirely been paid for by this administration, and furnished for the Police Department and other officers of the city.

The remaining portion of the old Fair Grounds, except the City Stables and grounds, was sold by

order of the City Treasurer.

The State Fair held at Oglethorpe Park in October last necessitated a thorough renovation of the buildings and grounds. This was done to the entire satisfaction of the Society.

The expense of the entire department for the year is as follows:

Ordinary expense, including insurance on public buildings	$4,[illegible]
Station House	[illegible]
Fair Grounds	[illegible]
City Hall and Grounds	[illegible]
Public School Houses	[illegible]
	$[illegible]

Under a resolution of the Council in the early part of the year, your committee examined all of the city's property, and reported the amount and valuation of the same, which is on file in the Clerk's office, and is referred to as a part of this report.

JOHN P. MAYES, Chairman.
C. C. HAMMOCK.
M. T. CASTLEBERRY.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred a resolution of your body, inquiring "what real estate is owned by the city and its approximate value," have the honor to report the following:

City Hall lot, containing 4 acres	$ 75,000
The Mitchell property fronting about 200 feet on the north side of Alabama street and extending back to the railroad	100,000
The Station House lot fronting 50 feet on the west side of Pryor street and extending back 120 feet	[illegible]
Also a lot in rear of same 30 by 75 feet, with alley on two sides	12,000
The market lot, corner of Ivy and Line streets	10,000
The magazine ground, containing 3¼ acres	3,000
A lot containing 1 acre on the corner of Davis and Magazine streets	1,000
The stable grounds corner of Fair and Connally streets, containing about 2 acres	4,000
Ten lots of the old Fair Grounds, each 72 by 142 feet, fronting on Kelly and Connally streets, between Oakland and Glynn streets	3,000
The Walker Street School lot containing 1½ acre	10,000
The Ivy Street School lot containing ¾ of an acre	10,000
The Crew Street School lot containing — acre	10,000
The Marietta School lot, ½ acre	5,000
The Badger purchase part of land lot 21, containing 35 acres	8,000
The Fair Grounds (Oglethorpe Park) containing 51½ acres	100,000
The city also holds the paramount title to a lot containing 1½ acres on the corner of Biggers and Elhore streets, that is now in litigation and in possession of one Floyd, a person of color	2,000
Total	$391,000

Your committee recommend that the ten remaining lots of the old Fair Ground be sold; also, that the market lot on Ivy street should be sold.

Considering the value, steadily increasing of real estate in the city, your committee are of the opinion that the city could not hold better assets. We could not therefore recommend the sale of any more of its property.

J. P. MAYES, Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR 1872.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your committee would respectfully submit the following report:

The expenditures of the Fire Department are as follows:

First Quarter, ending March 31, 1872	$32[illegible]
Second Quarter, ending June 30, 1872	2,[illegible] 00
Third Quarter, ending September 30, 1872	2,[illegible] 00
Fourth Quarter, ending Dec. 31, 1872	1,9[illegible] 00
Total amount	$7,[illegible]

The Fire Department consists of three steamers, two hand engines and a Hook and Ladder Company. Gate City Fire Company, No. 5, has purchased a lot and erected a comfortable wooden building thereon during this year.

All of the companies are well organized, and are thoroughly efficient. The officers of the Fire Department have shown a disposition to retrench in the way of recommending the reduction of appropriations to hand engines, from $1,200 to [illegible] per annum.

The officers of this Department have offered valuable suggestions to this committee for the establishment of a more efficient mode of fire alarm; but your committee, while recognizing the importance of the suggestion, have withheld any recommendation involving the expenditure of money for such a purpose.

Your committee would take this occasion to say that the most rigid economy has been practiced by the Fire Department.

All of which are respectfully submitted,

R. C. MITCHELL, Chairman,
C. W. WELLS,
R. M. FARRAR.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RELIEF.

Honorable Mayor and Council, City of Atlanta:

GENTLEMEN—Your Committee on Relief submits a brief statement:

The report of the Superintendent shows the total expenses of Alms House for the current year, including salaries, to be | $4,[illegible]
Less county proportion | 1,[illegible]

Leaving city proportion | $3,[illegible]

The foregoing includes all bills passed by the Superintendent up to the 31st of December inclusive, some of which have not been audited.

Average number of inmates [illegible].

The Superintendent and Physician have performed their respective duties with fidelity to the interests of the city and county, not inconsistent with considerate and humane treatment of those under their charge. We believe the present system to be defective, and that judiciously located under a good farm system, the Alms House would be self-sustaining.

For outdoor relief in the city, including transportation, burial of paupers, etc., we have expended $5,641 40.

This includes [illegible] expended [illegible] not passed up by Council.

We are not able to state whether reports of previous years included salaries of Superintendent and Physician of Alms House or not. If not, our general summary of expenses for comparison, including Alms House, should be $6,568 67.

Respectfully submitted,

L. P. GRANT,
H. L. WILSON,
J. P. MAYES,
A. L. FOWLER,
R. M. FARRAR,
E. J. ROACH,
Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Honorable Mayor and Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Committee report total receipts from all sources, for the year 1872, at | $730,6[illegible]
Total expenditures for same period | [illegible]
Leaving a balance in the banks of New York and this city, to pay the coupons due January 1st, 1873, on bonded debt of $25,007 48.

On our entrance into office [illegible], we ascertained by inspection of the books and former reports, the bonded debt of the city to be $1,009,000.

We have issued the present year, the following bonds:

For account of city subscription to Western Railroad $100,000; for account of last year's floating debt $100,000; for account of Hook and Ladder Engine Company, secured by mortgage $3,000; total issued for year $[illegible],000.

Of the above bonds we have sold as follows:

For account Western Railroad $[illegible]; for account floating debt $15,000; for account Hook and Ladder Company $3,000; total $[illegible],000.

Bonds have matured and been paid off this year amounting to $[illegible]; leaving present bonded debt $1,079,100.

In January last your committee advertised in the city papers requesting parties who had claims against the city to present them to the Treasurer for record. By that means and the books of the different officers we ascertained the floating debt of the city to be about $200,000, consisting of unpaid checks and other liabilities, all of which has been provided for.

The present indebtedness of the city outside of bonds, as near as can be ascertained, is $[illegible].

From this it will be seen that the total liabilities of the city, including bonds, floating debts, etc., amounts to $1,277,100.

The city has received the following stocks during the year:

Stock dividend Atlanta Gas Company	$[illegible]
Stock scrip from Western R R Co	[illegible]
	$[illegible]

Your committee beg to call your attention to the large amount expended for Public Schools and the Western Railroad, being:

For Schools	$[illegible]
Western Railroad	[illegible]
Total	$104,969 34

For the details of all the expenditures, we refer you to the reports of the Clerk and Treasurer, which officers have discharged their various duties most efficiently.

A. LEYDEN, Chairman,
[illegible],
C. C. HAMMOCK.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CEMETERY.

ATLANTA, GA., December 31, 1872.

Honorable Mayor and Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Committee on Cemetery respectfully report their operations for the year 1872 as follows:

RECEIPTS.

From sale of lots	$[illegible]
From burial fees	[illegible]
Total receipts	$[illegible]

EXPENDITURES.

For pay-rolls, improving lots, etc.	[illegible]
For completing fence commenced by former Council	[illegible]
Total expenditures	$[illegible]

There is also due the city for lots and burial fees, all of which in due time may be collected, as follows:

Lots sold in new Cemetery [illegible]	[illegible]
Total	$[illegible]

During the year we have had the pleasure in saying that a neat enclosure surrounds the last repository of our loved dead.

Before this year the main thoroughfare to the Cemetery was, in a great degree, a circuitous one. We have opened up Hunter street, and it is now nearly an air-line from the center of the city, thereby not only making it more accessible, but giving it a more beautiful and commanding appearance, as the main entrance is by a large and arched gateway. The grounds, owing to the efficiency and energy displayed by our competent and obliging Sexton, are under a high state of cultivation, and are daily undergoing a rapid improvement; and while it is a melancholy duty to visit such a spot, we must say that our sorrows are greatly mitigated to see that the bones of our dead are so tenderly and neatly cared for as they are in our own Cemetery.

We have examined the books and papers of our Sexton, and find them neatly and correctly kept; and we do not hesitate to say, that in him the city has a faithful and competent officer.

In all cities of any note, and in some much smaller than ours, where their cemeteries probably has not reached as high a state of cultivation and improvements, they have thought it right and proper to name them, and in closing this, our annual report, we think it appropriate to recommend a name for ours, and thereby suggest that hereafter it be known and called "Oakland Cemetery."

Respectfully,

T A MORRIS, Chairman,
A LEYDEN,
J P MAYES.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Honorable Mayor and Council:

GENTLEMEN—Your Committee on public schools respectfully submit the following report:

The three commodious buildings contracted for by our predecessors, were about completed when our term of office began. They had paid out of the treasury, for the purchase of lots and on the contract for the erection of buildings, about $33,000, thinking it best not to issue the one hundred thousand dollars of school bonds appropriated by the Council of 1870. By a resolution offered by your Chairman, and adopted by your body, the sum of $75,000 was allowed in lieu of the bonds appropriated. We have paid the balance due on contract for buildings, supplied them with furniture, etc.; bought a desirable lot in the 5th Ward, on which to erect another building, and paid the balance due on allowance, to the Treasurer of the Board of Education. The total sum paid out during your administration, amounts to $[illegible]7,371.31.

Under the wise management of the Board of Education, suitable buildings have been rented and furnished, to meet the demands of both white and colored, as far as practicable.

You have been petitioned to erect a building on your lot in the 5th Ward; also by the colored citizens to buy or build one or more houses for their benefit, but your committee deemed it unwise to recommend a further appropriation this year, but would commend the subject to our successors.

It is gratifying to your committee to state, that under the able management of the Board of Education, Prof. Mallon and corps of teachers, our schools are a success, and have given general satisfaction.

R. M. FARRAR, Chairman,
H. L. WILSON,
T. W. J. HILL.

Local and Business Notices.

THE PEWS in the Central Presbyterian Church will be rented for the year 1873, on Monday next (6th instant) at 11 o'clock, A. M. Persons wanting pews or seats, will find it to their interest to be present (or represented) at that time, as no pew will be held or reserved unless parties who are not present, or represented, give notice to the officers of the Church that they want such pews.

By order. BOARD OF TRUSTEES.
jan3—d3t-fri-sat-sun

WALL PAPER.—We have just opened a new and beautiful line of cheap papers; also, Decorations and Pannels.
KENDRICK'S CARPET STORE,
jan4—dtf Atlanta, Ga.

250 PIECES good Prints are selling at 11 cents, and 75 cases Boots and Shoes 20 per cent. cheaper than ever known in Atlanta—all of which must be sold in 30 days, at the Cheap Corner Store of
D. & E. STEINHEIMER,
Cor. Whitehall and Mitchell Streets.
jan1—d3t-wed-fri-sun

CHEAP CARPETS.—Twenty-five new pieces of Carpeting—3 in low price goods, just received at KENDRICK'S CARPET STORE.
jan4—dtf Atlanta, Ga.

REMOVAL.—Whitner & Co., Insurance Agents, have removed their office to Angier's Building, corner Broad and Alabama—Old Post Office. jan1—d3t

LAMBREQUINS, Lace and Damask Curtains, Brass and Wooden Cornice Mouldings. The most extensive and beautiful line of Curtains, Shades and Drapery of every description in the South.
S. S. KENDRICK & SONS,
jan4—dtf Atlanta, Ga.

EVERY lady who uses the "Domestic" Sewing Machine, finds it such a domestic comfort, that she prefers and recommends it above all others. Office, No. 4 DeGive's Opera House. dec29—d1w

"HOW EASY IT RUNS."—This is the first exclamation of every lady who sits down to the "Domestic." She soon finds a dozen other points of superiority, and the final emphatic statement is; "the 'Domestic' suits me every way." You are invited to call and examine the "Domestic" at No. 4 DeGive's Opera House. dec29—d1w

M. & J. HIRSCH, of the "Oak Hall" Clothing House, No. 41 Whitehall street, are determined to take time by the forelock. They offer their entire stock of Ready-made Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods, including their immense stock of "Woolen" Underwear, at an enormous reduction on previous prices. Remember this great reduction in prices is from the fact that we are about to receive our Spring Stock, and must make room for that, hence we are compelled to push off our winter stock.

Call at M. & J. Hirsch's before buying your Clothing elsewhere, if you want to "Save Money." dec29—dtf

The Great Clothing House of Eiseman & Bro., is at 55 Whitehall st., The Largest Establishment, The Largest Stock, The most Extensive Variety, The very Lowest Prices
dec22-dif

"Stitch! stitch! stitch!
In poverty, hunger and dirt,
Sewing at once with a double thread,
A shroud as well as a shirt."

How much better to buy a "Domestic" Sewing Machine, and be lifted above such drudgery. Office No. 4 DeGive's Opera House. dec22-d1m

DIOGENES, with his lantern, searched the streets of Athens at mid-day for a "man." But if you would find a "king" among Sewing Machines call at the office of the "Domestic," No. 4 DeGive's Opera House.
dec22-d1m

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.—Our pamphlet copies of the Decisions of the last term of the Supreme Court are now ready and are being sent out. Send in orders at once. This will insure the receipt of the Decisions at the earliest possible moment. Pamphlets $1 00 per copy.

MISSION SABBATH SCHOOL SONG BOOKS, containing each 100 popular songs and selections prepared expressly for Mission Schools. Price Five Cents per Book.
Apply at THE CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
sep1-dtf W. A. HEMPHILL & Co.

VENISON at Thompson's. dec24-1w

OYSTERS AND FISH.—Howard & [illegible] Oysters, Lake [illegible] and Fish of every kind [illegible] for sale at low prices, wholesale [illegible]
dec23-d [illegible]

The Daily Constitution.

A WELCOME FOR THE NEW YEAR.

Wide stand the portals for the fair New Year;
Glad and exultant, without sign of fear,
Trailing his robe of morning's misty hue
He proudly marches through.

His bright young head with starry glories crowned;
His firm young feet, with silver sandals bound,
Bring, in their gladsome, springing tread,
No echoes of the dead.

The old year passes by, all worn and thin,
Slowly, 'mid pomp that lets the conqueror in;
Crouching and bent, across the threshold gray
He, trembling, takes his way.

With just one glance upon the New Year's face,
As if to find amidst its kingly grace
What attributes of justice there might shine
To make it more divine.

Out in the darkness, then, o'er lonely wold,
All frosted with the rime of wintry cold,
The scarred old year, of every hope bereft,
Goes forth alone—unwept.

O sage! perchance, with wise prophetic eye,
Tracing strange signs across the midnight sky,
Interpreting, with skill of ancient seer,
How full the new-born year

Of woes untold, of blisses rich and rare;
Of pageants, like to dreams, with trumpets' blare;
Of life devoured by pestilential breath;
Of famine, war and death—

Forbear! in presence of our young New Year.
And shut the book of fate; record no fear
Of what the future in its train may bring—
No seer's imagining.

Away with prescience on this second morn,
When chiming bells announce the king is born;
Let fairy Hope, all garlanded with flowers,
Perfume the coming hours.

Dream of the lost ones where the crimson bars
Of evening pale the glory of the stars—
Dream, with the silver-voiced in thrilling psalms
They sing beneath the palms;

The caskets frail from which their souls are fled,
Go back to Mother Earth in lowly bed,
Life's fitful fever o'er, beneath the trees
To rest in dreamless ease.

But let us hold our living ones more dear;
Clasp closer trembling hands throughout the year;
Banish vain passions from life's transient hour,
And waste no God like power.

A Wisconsin Girl Commits Suicide Because She Could Not Go to a Party.

On last Friday the little village of Eureka was startled by the report that a young girl, the daughter of most respectable parents, had committed suicide by taking strychnine. The particulars of the affair are substantially these:

There was to be a festival at Waukau on the evening of the tragedy, to which the young lady, Miss Mary Atkins, had accepted the escort of a young man named Rounds, a cousin of Mr. Horace Rounds, of this city. As Mary had been quite ill for a few days before the festival, her mother forbade her going out that evening. Disappointed and vexed at this, she swallowed a large dose of strychnine, which had been kept in the house to kill rats. Her sister saw her drink the poison from a cup, but supposed that it was water or cold tea. She then sat down and wrote a note and took up her knitting and singing, and seemed very contented. Shortly afterwards, however, she was taken violently sick, and lived but two hours. A few moments after she was taken down Rounds called for her, but was informed that she was ill and could not go. Her mother did not know at this time that she had taken poison. After two hours of great agony she died. Everything was done for her that could be done; physicians were summoned, but it was too late. Mr. Atkins, who is keeping a feed store at Stephens' point, was immediately telegraphed for, and arrived at the earliest possible moment.

The note which she had written, was subsequently opened and found to be a last farewell to her parents and sister.

The exact contents of the note have not yet transpired outside the family circle.

The young lady was 16 years of age and was universally respected by all who knew her. Her sudden and untimely death falls heavily upon her relations and the numerous friends of the afflicted family.—*Oshkosh Northwestern.*

So Nice to be Engaged.

Every one must have noticed the great difference, as a general thing, between the young betrothed man and the young betrothed woman. He, the braver and stronger of the two, is utterly confused and bashful, and seeks to make a secret of the fact. She, on the contrary, tries to parade it, is proud of it, assumes a certain air of proprietorship over him, and offers to her friends little delicate condolences as to how nice it is to be engaged, and how dreadfully jealous he is if she looks at any one else.

The cause of this is just one thing: the man is in love; and the girl is not.

I have studied human nature, I have looked into the depths of hearts, I have made man and woman the study of my life, and I aver that the girl in love is rarer than a black rose. She simply has for her lover exactly the feeling that the young mother has for her baby. She has an anxious desire to see him for life, to make sure that he is comfortable, and that his buttons are all right, and that his food is what it ought to be. She understands that he is in love with her, and rejoices in the knowledge. The idea of loosing his love is madness to her, but of herself she does not understand it.

A woman who is not selfish, and greedy, and mean, who does not smile on any one who can give her fine clothes and grand establishment, overflows with the mother feeling all her life. She expends on dolls in childhood, on her poodle, or her kitten, or her canary afterward, and, when the time comes, on her lover. Many men would loose a great deal of his conceit and vanity if he just knew how the girl whom he supposed to be in love with him really felt. She, also, would be surprised to hear that she was in love at all, but only delighted to have some one in love with her, and in a measure awakened to the knowledge of that love which she will some day give her children. It is the best sort of love, too, and when a man's wife really loves him as his mother used to love him, she can make him happy.

But I think it time that some one who knows the truth should tell it. A good woman's love is something to be happy in—not the fleeting gallantry that men call by that name, but a pure and high affection, and with so much of the motherly and protecting in it, that I have often heard a little eighteen year old woman say of a six-footer of two hundred pounds weight, and a Brigadier General to boot:

"Oh, isn't he a darling, cunning little thing? Just as sweet as sugar!"—*Aunt Mary, in the Ledger.*

Value of Newspaper Property.

From the Chicago Tribune.]

The sum of $550,000 has been paid for fifty-one shares of the New York Tribune Association. This would make the entire value of the property $1,100,000, which, the Tribune says, is "by far the largest price ever paid for a newspaper on this continent." This is not exactly correct. Shares in the Chicago Tribune were sold, before the fire, at the same price relatively, that is, on the basis of $1,100,000 for the whole. After the fire, when $300,000 of the tangible property of the establishment had been destroyed without insurance, sales were made on the basis of $900,000. The New York Herald could not, probably, be bought for $2,000,000, if it were for sale at all. The New York Evening Post is believed to be worth over a million dollars, and the Journal of Commerce even more than the Post, and the Philadelphia Ledger more than either. The St. Louis Democrat sold recently on the basis of about $500,000—a ridiculously low price, as the sellers, Messrs. McKee & Houser, have since admitted to themselves.

☞ Italy has more theatres than any country in Europe; it has 348. France comes next; it has 337. It seems strange that Germany, which has such love for opera and drama, and so many wealthy towns, should have only 194; its tea-gardens and beer-stalls, which usually supply music with beverages, probably explaining this difference. Spain has 168; Austria, 152; England, 150; Russia, 44; Belgium, 34; Holland, 23; Switzerland, 20; Portugal 16; Sweden, 10; Denmark, 10; Norway, 8; Greece, 4; Turkey, 4; Roumania, 3; Egypt, 3; Servia, 1.

☞ A London correspondent of the Boston Globe states that it is not at all unlikely that Mr. Benjamin, ex-Confederate Attorney-General, will be elevated to a judgeship, sooner or later. He is at this moment one of the most successful advocates at the English bar, with an enormous and growing practice. The appointment of a barrister of foreign descent to so high an office would be very unusual, if not unprecedented, in Great Britain.

Reading Notices.

EXTRACT from Telegraph and Messenger, Macon, Ga.:

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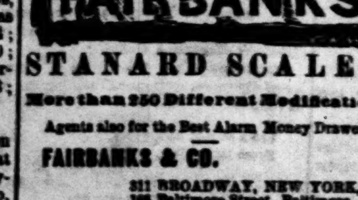

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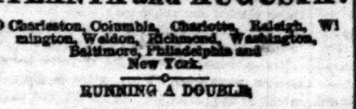

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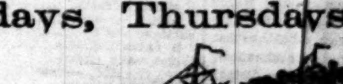

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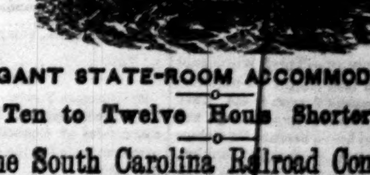

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